

INTRODUCTION

The Wood Family is especially close to my heart, partly because I became a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution through my descent from Lt. George Wood of Little Compton, Rhode Island. I have a copy of a photograph of his grand-daughter, Lydia Woodman (Pearce)-Dodge in her bonnet, taken when she was very old. She migrated west from New York with her family in the 1840's, settling in Kingston, Missouri, where I grew up. She was my maternal grandma's grandma, ^(Mary Lydia Dena) and they were quite close. She chose her own middle name when they went to register her birth at age four.

As for the ancestry of my Revolutionary ancestor, Lt. George Wood, the records are clear and all agree that his paternal grandparents were Lt. John Wood (c. 1664-1740) and Mary Church (1667-1748) and his parents Josiah Wood (1705-1767) and Mary Brownell (1708-1781). I wish I could tell you when his Wood great grandparents and their progenitors were - for sure - but there the authorities, all of them skilled genealogists, proffer different opinions about when Lt. John Wood's parents were. At this point it is not safe to state

flat out which is correct. Personally, I lean toward Anthony Wood of Leekesworth (wife's name not given) who came to Rhode Island in 1654. (Option 1) but have seen no absolute proof.

Changed my mind!
No documentation!

1. Wood Family Index by John Sumner Wood, Sr (1966) is only an enlarged index of many Wood family lines and, worse yet, sources are not cited! But he does list everybody, and agrees completely with what we know for sure. And the author does not waver.

2. Little Compton Families by Benjamin Franklin Wilbur hedges his bets by assigning our Lt George's grandfather, Lt John, to two different fathers, a John Wood & William (brothers) of Newport and Dartmouth. Clearly he is confused. After that, his data is correct so far as I can tell.

3. Various typescripts by Dorothy (Wood) Evers copied by MA Historical Society at Concord for my sister, Billie (Hanson) Pringle, plus articles by Mrs Evers in New England Historic Genealogical Register. Clearly this lady is a distant relative of ours. She is an excellent and thorough researcher and some of her findings are so interesting one can't help wishing she were correct. But there were quite a few very early John Woods, mostly nautical men floating around Rhode Island and nearby in the mid-1600's. She cites real records of real people, but I suspect she is rolling several John Woods into one man. Still, we should hang onto her writings until we see. And she has correct records for later generations.

~~18106 Colred Just Eric~~

Check this out - word-fun

The ~~five~~ segments we have
a wormy mother line —

Richard Kurren

Elizete korra

~~Mary Chase m Lt Skelton~~

Very Chas m Lt Soc Good

Logure is May Brouck

Gangelt m. Desire Gray

Substrate (4 or 5) (PHE)

Robert Clark

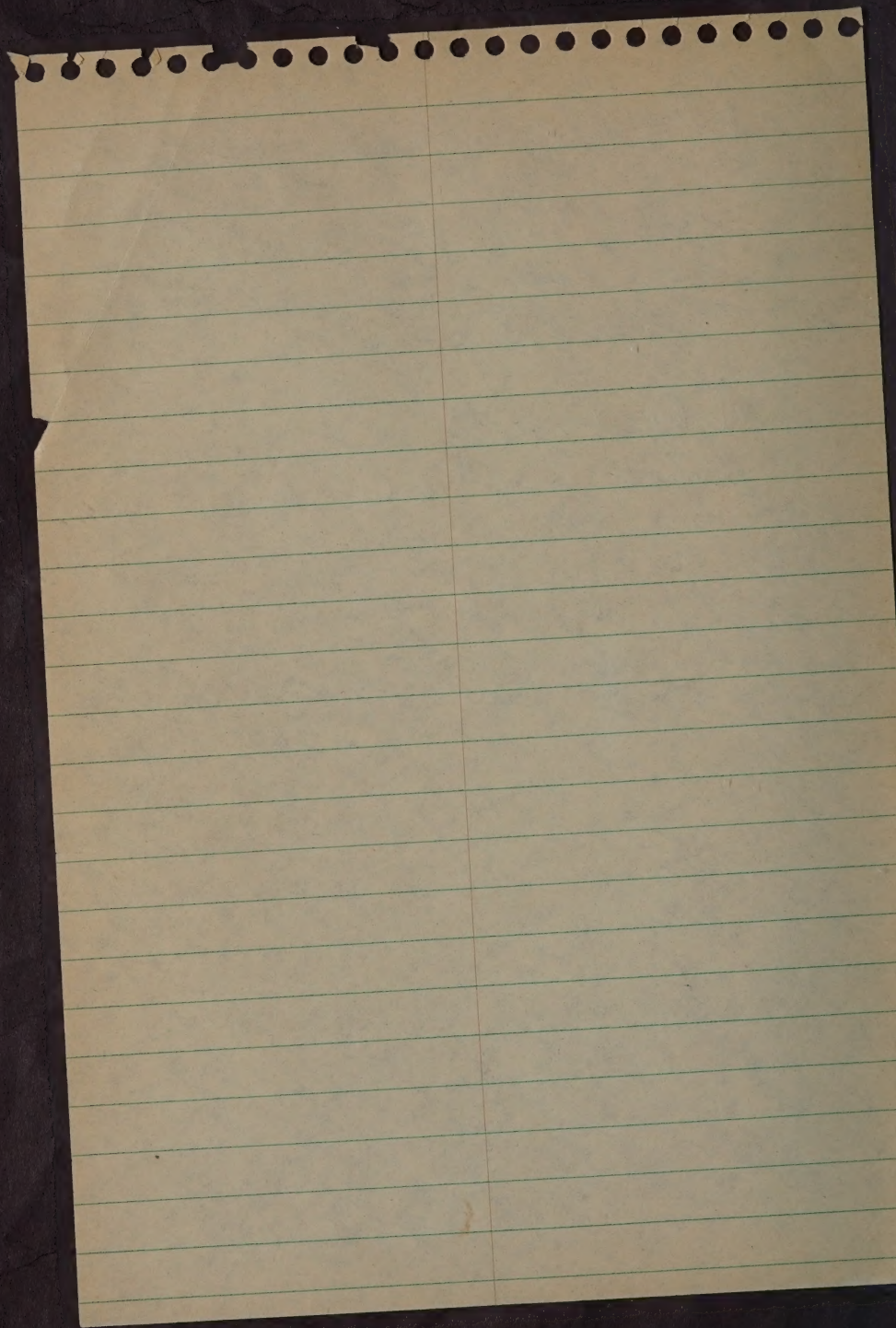
Deborah Clark on School Gray

Sand Bay 10 m Headland

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Get the Case

Get Sole box - Lycia ~~leopard~~



1008 John WOOD III
ca 1620
London? ~~England~~ *Leicester, England*
before 1664 (mostly lived Newport)
Newport or Portsmouth ~~ca 1654~~
1704
(Little Compton, Newport, RI *ok*)

504 (Lt.) John WOOD III
1666
Newport?
ca 1688
Hingham or Little Compton
22 Feb 1740
Little Compton, Newport, RI

1009 Mary PEABODY
ca 1640
Newport? RI
1690 or later
Little Compton??

252 Joseph WOOD
23 Dec 1705
Little Compton, Newport, RI
31 Aug 1727
Little Compton
22 Jan 1767
Little Compton

1010 Joseph CHURCH
1638
Plymouth, Plymouth Colony
30 Dec 1660
Hingham, Plymouth Colony
5 Mar 1711 (will pro Taunton)
Little Compton, Newport, RI

505 Mary CHURCH
26 Mar 1666/7
Hingham, Plymouth Colony
11 Nov 1748
Little Compton, Newport, RI

1011 Mary TUCKER
bap 8 Oct 1640
Hingham, Plymouth Colony
2 Mar 1710
Little Compton, Newport, RI

*Rev Wm Brewster - Capt John Cook
Capt Peter Richardson
Golden Synagogue*
George WOOD
Nov 1730
Little Compton, Newport, RI
Feb 1762
Little Compton
Jun 1820
Little Compton

1012 Thomas BROWNELL, Jr.
1650
Portsmouth RI
ca 1678
Tiverton or Little Compton
18 May 1732
Little Compton, Newport, RI

506 (Lt.) George BROWNELL
(Captain expedite to Canada,
French-Indian War)
19 Jan 1685 - Little Compton
6 Jul 1706 - Tiverton? RI
22 Sep 1756 in Acotaxet but
bur. Westport Harbor MA

1013 Mary PEARCE
6 May 1654
Portsmouth RI
4 May 1736
Little Compton, Newport, RI

253 Mary BROWNELL
9 Nov 1709
Little Compton, Newport, RI
6 Oct 1791
Little Compton

1014 Jonathan THURSTON
4 Jan 1659
Newport RI
1678
Little Compton or Dartmouth?
before 15 Apr 1740-will proved
Dartmouth, Bristol, MA

507 Mary THURSTON
20 Mar 1685
Little Compton, Newport, RI
23 Feb 1740 - Dartmouth but
bur beside husb. in Brownell
Cem. in Westport Harbor

1015 Sarah GILES
ca 1663

2016 WOOD
1612
England
4032 WOOD
4033

2018 John PEABODY
ca 1635
Newport
ca 1612
25t. Albans, Herts, England
(1) ca 1638
Newport, Rhode Island
bef 22 June 1687 (will proved)
Newport, Rhode Island

2019 Dorothy TULLY
ca 1620
England
16--
Newport or Portsmouth

1630 "The Fleet"
2020 Richard CHURCH
b 1608
Ashton, Northampton, England
ca 1635
Plymouth Colony
27 Dec 1668
d. Dedham - bur. Hingham, Fly. Col.

1623 "Anne"
2021 Elizabeth WARREN
b 161-
London? England
4 Mar 1670
Hingham, Plymouth Colony

before 1635
2022 John TUCKER
b 16--
Somerset, England
(1) bef 1635
Watertown or England
5 August 1661
Hingham, Plymouth Colony
2023 Mary
b 16--
England
23 May 1644
Hingham, Plymouth Colony

1638
2024 Thomas BROWNELL Braintree
5 Jun 1608
Town of Rycroft-Rawmarsh Parish
West Riding, Yorkshire, England
20 Mar 1638
St. Bonet, St. Paul's Wharf, London
4 Sep 1665
Portsmouth, Rhode Island
2025 Ann BOURNE
15 Feb 1666
St. Michael's, Cornhill, London
1665
Portsmouth, RI

By 1647
2026 Richard PEARCE
b 1615
Bristol, Devonshire, England
5 May 1642
Waltham Abbey, Essex, England
28 Oct 1678-will proved
Portsmouth, Rhode Island

2027 Susanna WRIGHT
5 Aug 1627
Waltham Abbey, Essex, England
bef 1678
Portsmouth RI

By 1647
2028 Edward THURSTON
b 1617
England
June 1647 (Quaker ceremony)
? 1 Mar 1707
Newport, Rhode Island

2029 Elizabeth MOTT
b 1629
Cambridge, England
2 Sep 1694
Newport, Rhode Island

2030

2031

4032 WOOD
4033
4034
4035

4036 PEABODY
4037

4038 Thomas TULLY (or Tooley?)
ca 1597? England
m (2) ca 1618? England
d ca 1681 Newport RI
4039 Rebecca
ca 1600? England
1684? Newport?

4040 CHURCH
4041

1620 "Mayflow"
4042 Richard WARREN
ca 1575? Plymouth
possibly 1 Jan 1592/3 St. Leonard
Shoreditch, London
d bef 1628, Plymouth Colony
4043 Elizabeth (Evans) Probat
a first wife, not the one who came
to Plymouth

4044 TUCKER

4045

4046

4047

4048 Rowland BROWNELL
b 1578 Yorkshire, Eng
m 20 Feb 1602 Rotherham, Yorkshir
d 16-- Rycroft?
4049 Dorothy GREENE
ca 1582 Rotherham
d 16-- Rycroft

4050 Richard BOURNE
18 June 1564 St. Michael Cornhill
m 15--
d 11 Mar 1632, London
4051 Judith COWPER
ca 1568 St. Michael Cornhill

4052 Richard PEARCE
b 1590 Devonshire
d 7 Oct 1666 Bristol, Devon., EN
4053 Martha

4054 John WRIGHT
ca 1630 Waltham Abbey, Essex, EN
22 Apr 1624 Waltham Abbey
? 5 Jul 1643, Waltham Abbey
4055 Mary DELL
ca 1602 Bow, Middlesex, England
23 Feb 1638 Waltham Abbey

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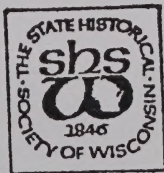
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1635 "Defense"
4058 Adam MOTT
b 1596 Cambridge, England
(1) 28 Oct 1616 Cambridge
1661 Portsmouth RI
4059 Elizabeth CREELE
b 159-- England
ca 1633? Cambridge, England

4060

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An Accurate Map of
RHODE ISLAND,
Part of
CONNECTICUT and MASSACHUSETTS.
Showing ADMIRAL ARMITAGE'S Station
in Blocking up
ADMIRAL TERNAY.

by 1647*

992 Richard FEARCE (Farse)
ca 1615
Bristol, Devonshire? England
5 May 1642
Waltham Abbey, Essex, England
28 Oct 1678
Portsmouth/Swansea, RI

496 George FEARCE
10 Jul 1662
Portsmouth RI
7 Apr 1687
Portsmouth RI
Sep 1752
Little Compton, Newport, RI

248 James FEARCE
4 Sep 1691
Little Compton, Newport, RI
5 Mar 1712
Little Compton
24 Sep 1755
Little Compton

497 Alice HART
8 Mar 1664? (or 1669?)
Portsmouth, RI
11 Mar 1718
Little Compton, Newport, RI

124 Giles FEARCE
23 Mar 1722
Little Compton, Newport, RI
23 Aug 1744
Little Compton
Jul 1792
Little Compton

498 Samuel WILBORE
Mar 1664
Portsmouth, RI
1689 -Taunton MA or
Little Compton, Newport, RI
before 17 Jun 1740 (will pro)
Little Compton, RI

249 Martha WILBORE (Wilbur)
21 Oct 1690
Little Compton, Newport, RI
22 Sep 1760
Little Compton

499 Mary POTTER
ca 1670
Dartmouth, Bristol Co.MA
17-- (bur.beside husb.)
Little Compton RI -family cem.

993 Susanna WRIGHT
bap 5 Aug 1627
Waltham Abbey, Essex, England
1678
Portsmouth/Swansea, RI

994 Richard HART -a mariner
ca 1635 (seaman on sloop "Dragon")
London, England
before 1664
Portsmouth RI?
Jan 1694/5 - on the sea in a
gale?) near Boston

995 Hannah KEEN (Keayne?)
ca 1640
Massachusetts?
after 1695
RI?

by 1650*
996 William WILBORE -Portsmouth
June? 1630 - Hollis Grove
Braintree-Bocking, Essex, England
before 1653
England or Portsmouth RI
bef. 15 Aug 1710 (will proved)
Portsmouth RI

997 Martha (Gifford?)
16--
before 1710
Portsmouth, RI?

998 Nathaniel POTTER, Jr.
1637
Portsmouth?
before 1664? Portsmouth,
(or Dartmouth, then Plymouth Colony)
20 Oct 1704
Portsmouth RI

999 Elizabeth STOKES
ca 1640?
after 1704
Dartmouth? (most children there)

1984 Richard FEARCE
b 1590
England
d 7 Oct 1666
Bristol, Devonshire, England
1985 Martha

3968 Richard FEARCE
3969
3970
3971

1986 John WRIGHT
ca 1600
Waltham Abbey, Essex, England
22 Apr 1624
Waltham Abbey
25 July 1643
Waltham Abbey
1987 Mary DELL
16--
Bow, Middlesex, England
16
Waltham Abbey, Essex, England

3972 John WRIGHT
3973 Bennett GREENE

1988 Nicholas HART Taurton
continental soldier Narraganset
1610-London War 1643
bef 1635
England?
ca 1654
Watwick, Rhode Island

3976 Richard HART
b 15-- ?Bove Tracy, Devonshire
d London
3977 (Wilson or Taylor?)

1989 Joanne ROSSITER
b 1616
Combe St. Nicholas, Somerset
9 June 1691
Portsmouth, Rhode Island

1630* "Mary & John"
3978 Edward ROSSITER Nantasket
b 1575 Somerset, England
1598 Combe St. Nicholas, Somerset
23 Oct 1630 Dorchester, Mass. Bay Col.
3979 CCME
ca 1578 Combe St. Nicholas, Somerset
ca 1616 Combe St. Nicholas

1990 KEENE

3980 KEENE
3981

1991

3982
3983

1992 John WILBORE
15--Hall's (or Hollis)Grove
Braintree-Bocking, Essex, Eng.
6 Aug 1616
Felsted., Essex, England
16--
Hollis Grove
1993 Joan DRANE
b 15--
Felsted?
d 16
Hollis Grove, Essex, England

1984 Joseph WILBORE
b 15--Braintree, Essex, England
m 15 Church of St. Nicholas, Braintree
d ca 1622-House on Gaunte, Hall's Grov
3985 Marie
betw Nov 1620&1623 Hall's Grove

3986 DRANE
3987

1994

3988
3989

1995

3990
3991

ca 1636*
1996 Nathaniel POTTER Aquidneck
b 16--
England
ca 1636
?Rhode Island
before 1644
Portsmouth, Rhode Island
1997 Dorothy
b 1617
England
1696
Portsmouth, Rhode Island

3992 POTTER
3993
3994
3995
3996 STOKES
3997
3998
3999

1998 STOKES

1999

1984 Richard FEARCE
b 1590

England
d 7 Oct 1666
Bristol, Devonshire, England

1985 Martha

1968 Richard FEARCE

1969

1970

1971

1986 John WRIGHT

ca 1600
Waltham Abbey, Essex, England
22 Apr 1624
Waltham Abbey
25 July 1643
Waltham Abbey

1972 John WRIGHT

1973 Bennett GREENE

1987 Mary DELL

16--
Bow, Middlesex, England
16
Waltham Abbey, Essex, England

1974 Ralph DELL (clothworker)

d. ca 1646 Bow, Middlesex, Eng.

1975

1988 Nicholas HART
bef 1642* Taurton
continental soldier Narraganset
1610-London War 1643
bef 1635

England?

ca 1654
Watwick, Rhode Island

1976 Richard HART

b 15-- ?Bove Tracy, Devonshire

d London

1977 (Wilson or Taylor?)

1989 Joanne ROSSITER

b 1616
Combe St. Nicholas, Somerset
9 June 1691
Fortsouth, Rhode Island

1630**Mary & John"

1978 Edward ROSSITER Nantasket

b 1575 Somerset, England

1598 Combe St. Nicholas, Somerset

27 Oct 1630 Dorchester, Mass. Bay Col.

1979 COME

ca 1578 Combe St. Nicholas, Somerset

ca 1616 Combe St. Nicholas

1990

KEENE

1980

KEENE

1981

1991

1982

1983

1992 John WILBORE

15--Hall's (or Hollis)Grov
Braintree-Bocking, Essex, Eng.
6 Aug 1616
Felsted,, Essex, England
16--
Hollis Grove

1984 Joseph WILBORE

b 15--Braintree, Essex, England

a 15 Church of St. Nicholas, Braintree

a ca 1622-House on Gaunte, Hall's Grov

1985 Marie

betw Nov 1620&1623 Hall's Grove

1993 Joan DRANE

b 15--
Felsted?
d 16
Hollis Grove, Essex, England

1986

DRANE

1987

1994

1988

1989

1995

1990

1991

1996 Nathaniel POTTER

b 16--
England
ca 1636
before 1644
Fortsouth, Rhode Island

1992

POTTER

1993

1997 Dorothy

b 1617
England
1696
Fortsouth, Rhode Island

1994

1995

1998

STOKES

1996

STOKES

1997

1999

1998

1999

The Norman People

- 89
356 Peabody, or Papady. Papade held a fief from the see of Durham, to William I. He was probably of Flemish origin. Henry Peppede held this fief 1165 (Lib. Nig), and from him descended the family of Pappedy, Papady or Peabody, from which the celebrated philanthropist of the name.
- Brownell not listed. Tacker not listed. Wright not listed. Bourne n.l. Creel n.l. Dell n.l.
- 198 Church - see Search
- 383 Search. Thomas de Charches, Normandy 1180-95 (MRS). see Church
- 425 Tully, Tully. See Tuelly
- 424 Tuelly. Robert Tuelwa, Normandy 1180-85 (MRS); Richard le Tulge Engl. 1272 (RH).
- 441 Warren - copy long entry. - placed in Warren file
- 418 Thurston, or Turston. See Testin
- 426 Testin. Geoffrey, Robert, Nigel, Unfrid Fitz Testin, Normandy 1180-1195 (MRS); Robert and Roger Testin 1195 (ib.); Robert Thorstein Engl. c. 1272 (RH).
- 260 Giles, from Le Gile or Guerilles, Normandy. Robert de Gaellles of Normandy 1195 (MRS); Godfrey Gile of England 1195 (Bot. Pap.); John, Thomas, and Matfelds G. c. 1272 (RH) (Gill or Gille is commonly identified in some cases.)
- 339 Mott, Mote, Moth, Motte - for Mouet. (cf. Mouatt)
Mouet. Philip Moaz or Moats, Normandy 1180-85 (MRS). The fief of Mouet at Abreville mentioned to Philip Augustus.
- 253 Coopers, or de Colambers. The early history of the family has been noticed under Ashby-Cooper. In 1340 there were two branches in Sussex, as appears by the Non-Inquisition. From one sprang the Coopers of Heston, from the other the Coopers of Stood who bore the arms of the Norman line of de Colambers, viz. gules a chief argent (Bar Bois) ---. The Norman line were barons of la Haye du Pay. From the Coopers of Stood in Sussex desc. the Cs of Cheshire, ancestors of the Earls of Chester, incl. Lord Chaworth of Eng. & the first Cooper.
- 449 Wood. Generally local English but in some cases a translation from. De Barcey Bois of Normandy Bois - see pp. 163-4

DRAUGHT
OF THE
GREAT
ROAD
OF THE TOWN
OF
LITTLE COMPTON
AD. 1774

TIVERTON

DR

POCASSET

PHILIP SEABURY

WINDMILL HILL

ABIAL COOK

JOHN WOODMAN & C.

CONSTANT WOODMAN

MARY WOODMAN

JONA WOODMAN

FOBES LITTLE

THOS. BROWN

RICHARD GRINNELL

Geo. SIMMONS

NARRON GRINNELL

JOHN HUNT

FRIENDS MEETING HOUSE

ROBERT BROWN LITTLE

JONATHAN DAVENPORT

DAVID IRISH

THOS IRISH

COMPTON

Wm CARP

DAVID HILLARD

PELEG WOOD

Wm BROWN

SYLVANUS BROWN

ISAAC WOOD

CHRIST. WHITE

SAMUEL GRAY

STODDARD

COMMONS

CHURCH

Wm RICHMOND

PEREZ RICHMOND

Wm CHURCH

Geo WOOD

JAMES TAYLOR

TOWN HOUSE

SARAH LING

GIDEON TAYLOR

ENEZEAS CHURCH

NATHL SIMMONS

NATHL CHURCH

Wm TAYLOR

PEAKE THOS

ROBERT TAYLOR

WILCOX

PHILIP TAYLOR

JAS WILBOUR

THOS WILBOUR

MONS

MALACHI GRINNELL

CORNELIUS BRIGGS

SAM'L WILBOUR

PAARDEN GRAY

DANIEL WILBOUR

Wm WILBOUR

SAMUEL WILBOUR

JOS. AND Wm COE WOODWORTH

CHAS WILBOUR

HEZEKIAH WOODWORTH

CONSTANT SOUTH WORTH

ISRAEL BURGESS

JAS. CHACE

JAMES CHACE

JONA BAILEY

MARY BAILEY

ISAAC BAILEY

EPHRAIM BAILEY

Wm BAILEY

THOS CHURCH

THOS. BAILEY

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SALT MARSH

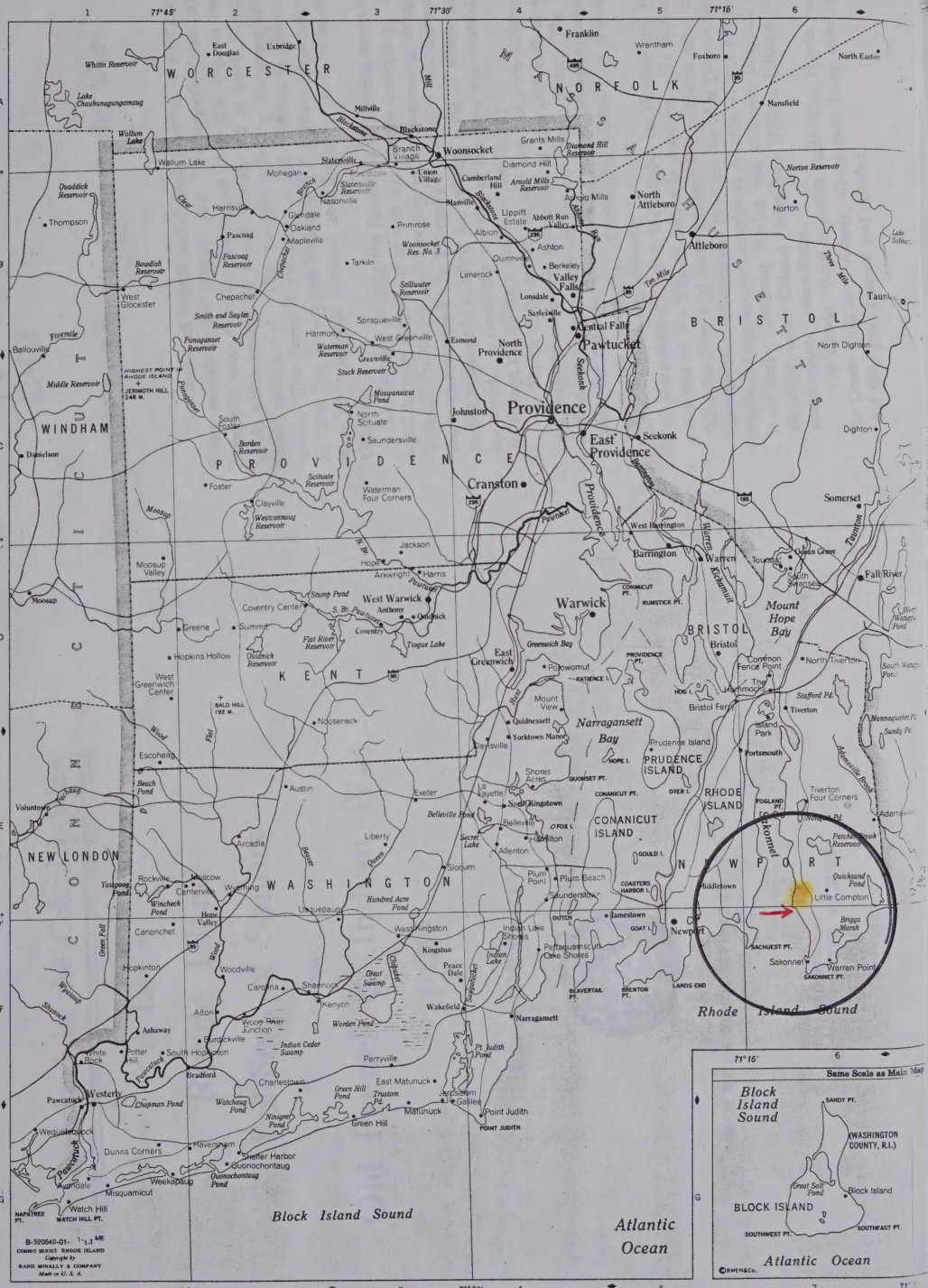
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Rhode Island

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1990 CENSUS

Abbott Run Valley, 1,050(87).....	B 4
Adamsville, 600(87).....	E 6
Albion, 1,600(87).....	B 4
Alenton, 600(87).....	E 4
Anthony, 2,980(87).....	D 3
Arnold Mills, 600(87).....	B 4
Ashton, 820(87).....	B 4
Barrington, 16,174(80).....	D 5
Berkshires, 830(87).....	B 4
Black Island, 620(87).....	h 7
Branch Village, 400(87).....	B 3
Bristol, 20,120(80).....	D 5
Burdickville, 500(87).....	F 2
Carolina, 650(87).....	F 2
Central Falls, 17,637.....	B 4
Charlestown, 1,500 (6,478*).....	F 2
Chepachet, 900(87).....	B 2
Common Fence Point, 850(87).....	D 6
Coventry, 6,990 (31,083*).....	D 3
Cranston, 76,060.....	C 4
Davidsville, 500(87).....	E 4
Diamond Hill, 810(87).....	B 2
East Greenwich, 10,211(87).....	D 4
East Matunuck, 500(87).....	F 3
East Providence, 50,380.....	C 4
Esmond, 4,320(87).....	B 4
Forestdale, 530(87).....	B 3
Glendale, 700(87).....	B 2
Greenville, 7,576(80).....	C 3
Hamony, 820(87).....	B 3
Harris, 1,050(87).....	D 3
Hope, 270(87).....	D 3
Hopkinton, 550 (6,873*).....	F 1
Island Park, 1,240(87).....	E 6
Jamesstown, 4,040(87).....	F 5
Johnston, 26,800.....	C 4
Kenyon, 400(87).....	F 2
Kingston, 5,479(80).....	F 3
La Fayette, 640(87).....	E 4
Little Compton, 500 (3,339*).....	E 6
Lonsdale, 3,850(87).....	B 4
Marvick, 3,020(87).....	B 4
Mapleville, 1,300(87).....	B 2
Matunuck, 550(87).....	G 3
Middletown, 3,350 (3,460*).....	E 5
Mount View, 610(87).....	D 4
Narragansett, 3,342 (14,985*).....	F 4
Newport, 28,227.....	F 5
North Kingstown, 2,750 (23,786*).....	E 4
North Providence, 32,090.....	C 4
Oakland, 600(87).....	B 2
Pascoag, 3,907(80).....	B 2
Pawtucket, 72,644.....	C 4
Peace Dale, 3,100(87).....	F 3
Pine Beach, 400(87).....	F 3
Portsmouth, 3,540 (16,857*).....	E 6
Primrose, 500(87).....	B 3
Providence, 160,728.....	C 3
Quinnesima, 3,300(87).....	E 4
Quidnick, 2,300(87).....	D 3
Quonochontaug, 1,500(87).....	G 2
Saunderstown, 400(87).....	E 4
Saylesville, 3,510(87).....	B 4
Shannock, 950(87).....	F 2
Shores Acres, 410(87).....	E 4
Slatersville, 2,330(87).....	A 3
South Hopkinton, 900(87).....	F 1
Tiverton, 7,653 (14,312*).....	D 6
Union Village, 2,150(87).....	B 3
Usquepaug, 400(87).....	F 3
Valley Falls, 10,892(80).....	B 4
Wakefield, 3,450(87).....	F 3
Warren, 10,640(87).....	D 5
Warwick, 85,427.....	D 4
Westerly, 16,477 (21,605*).....	F 1
West Kingston, 1,150(87).....	F 3
West Warwick, 23,268.....	D 3
Woonsocket, 43,877.....	A 3
Yorktown Manor, 2,520(87).....	C 3



* Population of entire town (township), including rural area.

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Rhode Island in the Colonial Wars

A List of Rhode Island Soldiers & Sailors

IN THE

Old French & Indian War

1755-1762

BY

HOWARD M. CHAPIN



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Rhode Island's Share in the War

The conflict of French and English interests in the Ohio Valley served as the prelude, and Washington's defeat of Jumonville near Fort Du Quesne on May 27th 1754 as the spark, which ignited the fourth French war in which Rhode Island participated. This struggle called by European historians "The Seven Years War" is better known in America as "The Old French and Indian War." Military preparations were made in both England and France as well as in the Colonies.

On January 1st 1755 the Rhode Island General Assembly voted to raise a company of 100 men for the emergency. As is usual, the length and intensity of the impending struggle was underestimated. In February the number was increased to 113, apparently to allow for officers, some of whom were appointed. A committee of War of five men was established to manage the military affairs of the Colony.

In March 1755, before the 100 men had been enlisted, it was voted to raise four companies of 100 men each to take part in the secret expedition against Crown Point. The acts calling for 113 men were repealed and the officers transferred to the new companies. Christopher Harris was appointed Colonel of this expeditionary regiment.

Meanwhile Braddock had landed in Virginia and taken command of the English forces in America. He planned to strike the French at three points. The southern army, under his personal command, was to attack Fort Du Quesne, and the northern army was to assemble at Albany, whence one detachment under Governor Shirley was to attack Niagara, while the other, under Colonel (later Sir) William Johnson, was to move against Crown Point.

The Rhode Island regiment under Col. Harris marched to Green-Bush near Albany, where their boats were caulked and their guns cleaned and mended.

On August 8th, leaving the Rhode Island and New York regiments in camp, Johnson marched northward with the rest of the army. He left a garrison at Fort Lyman (afterwards called Fort Edward in honor of the Duke of York), and continuing northward encamped at the upper end of Lake George. The Rhode Island regiment was at Albany on August 24th, but soon followed the main army and reached the camp late in August or early in September.

Baron Dieskau, commander of the army, which had been sent over from France, and which had been augmented by Canadians and Indians, marched southward through the woods east of Lake George. Upon the news of the approach of the French, Johnson sent out Col. Ephraim Williams and the Indian Chief Hendricks with a scouting party in the direction of South Bay on September 8th. This force was surprised by Dieskau, and in the fighting which followed, both Williams* and Hendricks were killed. Re-enforcements under the command of Lt. Col. Edward Cole of the Rhode Island regiment arrived in time to rescue the remnant of Williams' force and to hold the French in check temporarily, thus giving Johnson time to strengthen the defences of the camp. Dieskau attacked the camp at 10 o'clock in the morning (September 8, 1755), and the fighting lasted until four in the afternoon, when the French force was dispersed. Both Johnson and Dieskau were wounded, the latter being taken prisoner. Johnson did not pursue the fugitives, but fortified the camp which he named Fort William Henry in honor of the Duke of Gloucester, the king's grandson.

Four Rhode Island companies took part in this battle of September 8, 1755, known as the Battle of Lake George. They were the companies commanded by Cole, Angell, Babcock and Francis.

On account of Braddock's defeat before Fort Du Quesne, The General Assembly voted on August 11th, to raise three more companies of fifty men each and to send them to re-enforce Col. Harris' troops, and thus strengthen the

*Williams College was founded by a bequest in Col. Williams' will.

Colonial Army against the added number of French troops, which being freed from service in the Monongahela Valley, would doubtless be rushed northward to Lake Champlain. This vote for additional companies was not passed without opposition, and seven deputies including the Speaker, had their dissent from the vote, recorded in the acts and resolves. John Whiting was ranking Captain of this detachment, which was recruited before September 8th, on which day the General Assembly ordered them to proceed to Albany by water and thence from Albany to the force under Col. Harris. Many of Col. Harris' troopers, disgusted by the hardships of the march overland and little realizing the scope and importance of the conflict had deserted. These men upon their return home were added to Capt. Whiting's command, and ordered to proceed subject to his orders until they should reach the camp and re-enter their respective companies.

In September Rhode Island voted to raise four more companies of 50 men each. Daniel Bosworth was appointed ranking Captain of this third detachment. Inasmuch as the war was not particularly popular in Rhode Island, and as the danger to the Colony was not imminent, volunteers were not forthcoming in numbers sufficient to fill the companies that had been authorized, although bounties had been offered to encourage enlistment. Hence the General Assembly at the September session found it necessary to pass an act authorizing conscription. Thenceforth during the war the Rhode Island regiments consisted partly of volunteers, many of whom were attracted by the bounties, and partly of conscripts. In 1755 Rhode Island put approximately 750 men in the field.

Late in November Johnson marched southward with the main part of the army, which either went into winter quarters or returned home. Seventy-two Rhode Islanders commanded by Capt. Whiting were left on garrison duty at the Forts near Lake George. The campaign of 1755 had been unfortunate in the Colonies. Braddock's expedition had been defeated, Shirley's expedition had done but little, and although Johnson

had repelled an attack, he had not even approached Crown Point, his avowed objective. On December 22d the General Assembly voted that 100 of the best men with (apparently 13) suitable officers be selected from the troops returned and returning from the Expedition against Crown Point and that the remainder be discharged. Besides this 100 men, 72, as already noted, were detailed for garrison duty at Fort Edward and Fort William Henry, under Capt. Whiting. The remainder of the troops were ordered discharged on or before December 31st, 1755.

Shirley, chief commander of the English forces in America determined on a vigorous campaign for 1756. He planned to move against Niagara with one part of his force and to send the other part commanded by (Gen.) John Winslow against Lake Champlain. In February Rhode Island voted to raise a force of 500 men (including those still in service) for the reduction of the French forts on Lake Champlain. Col. Harris was given command of this regiment, which consisted of 10 companies.

The Rhode Island troops went by water, touching at New York, and arriving at Albany on Friday evening, May 14th, 1756, according to a letter of George Hopkins. The regiment moved to Camp Half Moon before June 29th where all the Rhode Island companies, except two, Major Babcock's and Capt. Bozard's (Bosworth), had arrived by June 11th. The Rhode Islanders were soon scattered, some being at Fort William Henry, and Edward, while others were at Stillwater, Camp Half Moon, and Albany. Many were still at Camp Half Moon on July 11th but the bulk soon moved up to Fort Edward, where they were on July 22d and had been four weeks on August 14th, according to Hopkins.

Meanwhile preparations for the campaign had been pushed in Europe. Louis XV sent the Marquis of Montcalm to command his forces in America and George II sent the Earl of Loudon. On May 17th, 1756, two years after the defeat of Jumonville by Washington, England formally declared war against France. Prussia under

Frederick the Great had made an alliance with England, and Austria had made an alliance with France. Europe was to be a more bloody battlefield than America. Sweden, Russia and Poland soon joined France and Austria.

The Earl of Loudon reached New York in July and relieved Shirley of the chief command. This change together with Loudon's inefficiency doomed the campaign of 1756 to failure. On July 24th Col. Angell of the Rhode Island regiment commanded a scouting party of 300 men that went out from Fort Edward towards South Bay and Wood Creek.

The Rhode Island General Assembly, expecting a vigorous campaign ordered two additional companies of 50 men each, exclusive of officers, in June. These troops were commanded by Captains Jenckes and Fry, and joined the force under Harris.

In August Montcalm attacked and captured the English forts on the Oswego River and then returned to check any advance which might be attempted by the English at Lake George.

Conditions rapidly became more threatening for the English colonies. Another company of 60 men and officers was authorized by the General Assembly in September and Joseph Windsor was given the command, but this company was merged in the new regiment of 400 men, (eight companies) which was ordered in October. The Governor, Stephen Hopkins was chosen Colonel of this, the 2nd Regiment, known as "The 400 men," but on October 27th the General Assembly met and ordered them not to march on account of the fact that Small Pox was rife at Albany. By orders from Loudon this regiment was discharged on or before Nov. 8th 1756.

Some of the Rhode Island troops at Fort Edward had been sent up to Fort William Henry where Quarter-Master Shehan was located on Nov. 9th, 1756. The companies commanded by Harris, Angell, Potter and Jenckes, returned to Providence in December and were paid off in December

and January. The other companies may have been discharged at the same time but their pay rolls have not been located.

The defeat of the English at Oswego was the only noteworthy feature of the campaign of 1756. Several Newport shipwrights who were on special construction service at Oswego were captured by the French.

In February 1757 Rhode Island ordered a five company regiment of 450 men to assist Loudon in the ensuing campaign. Samuel Angell was appointed "Chief Officer" (i. e. Colonel) of this force which in May proceeded to Albany. Meanwhile in March the French under Rigaud attempted unsuccessfully to surprise Fort William Henry, and Loudon prepared his futile expedition against Louisburg.

In May an act for raising 150 more men was passed by the Rhode Island General Assembly at its May session, but was repealed in August before the companies were raised. Some of the Rhode Islanders under Angell were stationed at Fort Edward, while others were at Fort William Henry.

Montcalm had not been idle during the spring, but had collected a large force with the main part of which he sailed up Lake George, while the balance of the force under De Levis marched along the west shore of the Lake. Fort William Henry was surrounded by the French but held out until word was received from Gen. Webb, who was stationed at Fort Edward, that he would not send assistance. Munro, the commander of Fort William Henry was therefore obliged to surrender on August 9th, 1757. A large number of the English soldiers were massacred by the Indians on August 10th, although about 600 refugees succeeded in reaching Fort Edward.

Col. Angell who was at Fort Edward wrote to Governor Greene on August 14th and described the attack on Fort William Henry in the following words:

"On the 3d inst., at five o'clock, in the morning, the fort and camp were invested by Canadians and Indians; and at the same time, a large body of boats and canoes appeared on the lake near, while our camp was attacked by a superior

number of the enemy. They landed their artillery the same day. Our rangers brought in one of their lieutenants prisoner, who gave account of their strength consisted of three thousand regulars, five thousand Canadians, and three thousand five hundred savages, thirty-six cannon, and four mortars.

"The siege continued obstinate till the ninth day at six o'clock in the morning, when all the cannon, bigger than twelve pounders, were broken; the men in camp and garrison, spent with fatigue. They capitulated on honorable terms, viz.: that they should march to this place with a brass twelve pounder in the front, and their fire-locks clubbed, and colors flying, with all their baggage. This was agreed to, and articles signed. General Montcalm and other principal officers of his army, expressed and acknowledged that they had made a defence beyond expectation, and for those reasons, he allowed them as good terms as General Blakeney had. The articles obliged our men not to bear arms till eighteen months were expired.

"The morning following, our men were to march with a strong guard of regulars, to keep the savages from insulting them. When our people began to draw up for a march, the horrible scene of massacre then began, by the savages scalping our sick and wounded men; next, by their drawing out all the black men, scalping the Indians and keeping the negroes for slaves. All this did not satisfy them; but they went to stripping and scalping without distinction; which put our men to the flight, each man for himself—having no protection agreeably to the articles. They all scattered in the woods; the Indians following them several miles. Our men have been coming in since eleven o'clock, that day, till this morning, by single persons and small parties; not a man but is stripped; some, quite naked.

"There are yet behind several hundred; many of whom, it is known, are sick, and many, it is thought, will perish in the woods. This minute, a deserter from the French says that above two hundred of our men went back to the French for protection.

"By our parties just came in, we have certain accounts that the fort is destroyed; and that the enemy are drawing off. We have about four thousand militia here, and two thousand troops."

The danger by which Fort William Henry was threatened greatly alarmed the Colony. The General Assembly met on August 10th, and not as yet having heard of the loss of Fort William Henry, passed an act which drafted one sixth of the militia of the colony, probably about 1000 men, for service in the relief of Fort William Henry. Col. John Andrews was given the command of this regiment. On August 15th thirty-four prominent men of Providence who were not subject to the draft volunteered their services and signed a paper of that import. Of a muster roll of 113 men who marched out of Newport County in answer to this call, 21 were volunteers.

This Second Rhode Island regiment went no farther than Connecticut, when news was received that Fort William Henry had fallen. The men returned home and the October Assembly after regulating their pay for this service, voted to re-enlist 250 men for service in the army during the pleasure of the General Assembly.

Ninety of these did garrison service at Saratoga. Capt. Ebenezer Whiting was given the command of those who were garrisoned at Fort Edward during the winter.

If the campaign of 1756 had disheartened the English, that of 1757 was still more discouraging. The expedition against Louisburg had come to naught, Fort William Henry had been lost, and from Europe came the still more discouraging news that the Duke of Cumberland had been decisively defeated by D'Estrees.

As well as sending the quota to the Colonial contingent, Rhode Island had strengthened and garrisoned Fort George at Newport, and had also equipped and sent forth many privateers which had made severe and telling inroads upon the enemy's maritime commerce.

The following letter gives a concise description of the conditions in the Colony in 1758;

"We the Commissioners from the Government of Rhode Island, being ordered to lay before your Lordship, an exact State of the Colony, with Regard to its Fortifications and Military Stores, the Number of Inhabitants, the State of the Treasury, and Funds for supplying the same, beg Leave to represent to your Lordship, that there is only one Fortification in the Colony, called Fort George, very conveniently situated for the Defence of the Town and Harbour of Newport, which is the Metropolis of the Colony. But as there are in the Fort only twenty-six Carriage Guns fit for Service, and a few other Military Stores, it is to be feared the Town might be entirely destroyed by a very small Force, and the Colony thereby disabled from raising any more Men for the common Cause. And of what fatal Consequence it might be to His Majesty's Interest, to have the Enemy in Possession of so fine a Harbour and Island, situate in the Midst of New England, we leave your Lordship to judge.

"By an Account of the Number of Men in the Colony, taken the 24th of December, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty-five, it appears, my Lord, there were then in the Colony, Eight Thousand Two Hundred and Sixty-two Men, able to bear Arms. But as we have since lost many Men by the War, and near Fifteen Hundred Men are out in our Privateers, we imagine there is not near that Number now left in the Colony."

In March, 1758, the General Assembly voted to raise a regiment of 1000 men. Col. Malbone was given the command of this regiment, which was to consist of nine new companies and the company under Capt. Ebenezer Whiting, which was in garrison service at the Forts. Malbone was succeeded by Henry Babcock as Colonel, before the regiment moved. The troops went to Albany by water. During March and April a detachment of 1853 of His Majesty's regulars were quartered at Providence before being sent against Louisburg. In May, Amherst, with the northern army, supported by the fleet, marched on Louisburg; in June, Forbes, with the southern army, proceeded against Fort Du Quesne; and on July 5th Abercrombie, with 15,000 English and Colonials, including the

Rhode Island companies, except those under Potter and Wall, moved against Ticonderoga. Col. Babcock's description of the Battle of Ticonderoga, being that of an eye witness and important officer, follows:

"Lake George, 10th July, 1758.

"Honored Sir:—The 5th inst., the army consisting of fifteen thousand men, proceeded down the lake, in batteaux, with thirty days' provision. The 6th, in the morning, half after eight, we landed at the advance guard; who were very easily driven from their post, with no loss on our side, and but four on theirs. About two o'clock, P. M., the whole army marched, saving a battalion of the York regiment, who were posted as a guard on our batteaux. About three o'clock we were attacked by a party of the enemy, in which engagement, we unfortunately lost the brave Lord Howe. There were taken of the enemy one hundred prisoners, eight of whom were officers; our army was much scattered by reason of the firing in the woods, and it was thought advisable to return that evening to our batteaux.

"The next day Col. Broadstreet was ordered with fifteen hundred batteaux men, and two regular regiments, with five of the Massachusetts regiments, to take possession of the saw mill, which we did, without the loss of a man. The same evening, the whole marched up to the saw mill.

"The 8th, (the fatal 8th,) were ordered to proceed in the following manner: the batteaux men, light armed infantry, and the rangers, were ordered to form a line about two hundred yards from the French entrenchments; which extended from Lake George to Lake Champlain; the regulars were to form a line behind the first line; who, after they were formed were to pass through the first line, they making avenues for them; after that, they were to form the line again. A captain and fifty men, out of the line, were detached for picket, who were to form in front; the grenadiers were to form behind them; and in this manner, they were to attack the trenches, and were to march with shouldered firelocks, till they should get on top of the trenches.

"They accordingly marched on with great intrepidity, but

were received so warmly, that they were obliged to give ground, after making most vigorous efforts; they even went up to the breast-work, but were knocked down so fast, that it was very difficult for those behind to get over the dead and wounded. But before the attack of the regulars, the enemy began with firing upon the Yorkers. In the rear of the regulars, the Connecticut, New Jersey and Rhode Island troops were ordered to form about three hundred yards behind, who were to support them, if necessary.

"About an hour after the attack, I was ordered to march with the regiment, to relieve those that had been engaged. We went up within about forty yards of the breast-work. Soon after I got up, in posting my regiment to the best advantage I could, I received a shot in my left knee; after that, finding myself of no advantage, I ordered two men to carry me off, and left the regiment warmly engaged. We have lost no officers. Capt. John Whiting, Lieuts. Russell and Smith are slightly wounded. The return of the killed and wounded, Your Honor, has enclosed.

"The same evening, to my great surprise, the whole army was ordered to return to the batteaux, to the great mortification of chief of the officers; and the next evening we arrived here.

"Never did an army gain more advantage in so little time, whilst the late Lord Howe was alive; but soon after that, we became a confused rabble. We have lost a great many brave officers; in Lord Howe's regiment, all the field officers were killed.

"Sir William Johnson joined us four hours before the engagement; but the Indians not being used to attack trenches, soon came off."

Lord Howe, the brains of the English army, was killed in this fight, and the incompetent Abercrombie retreated to Fort William Henry, turning a potential victory into an unnecessary defeat. In August Col. Bradstreet marched to Oswego with 3000 men, of whom 312 were Rhode Islanders under Lt. Col. Potter and Major Wall. This expedition captured Fort Frontenac on August 25th, destroyed the French naval power

on Lake Ontario, and cut the communication between Fort Du Quesne and Canada, thus materially assisting the southern army under Forbes, which so seriously threatened Fort Du Quesne in November, that the garrison destroyed the fortress and retreated. Meanwhile, in the North, Amherst had taken Louisburg.

Some of the Rhode Island soldiers were retained in service for the campaign of 1759, and a call for new enlistments was made in December, 1758.

On February 26th, 1759, the Colony voted to furnish 1000 men for the ensuing campaign, and later the Assembly ordered the thirteen companies already raised to proceed to Albany. Some were sent by boat, while others marched overland, the rendezvous being ordered for April 10th. The quota of 1000 men was not easily raised, and in May a bonus of two months' pay was offered for enlistments. Bonuses were also offered to seamen who should enlist in H. M. navy.

In June a second detachment was sent, and an act to raise 115 men to complete the regiment was ordered. Amherst spent the summer and autumn in preparations, and when he was ready to move northward, the season had become too cold. A small English force under Prideaux drove the French from Niagara, but the remainder of the army operating in the Colonies accomplished nothing. Meanwhile in Canada Wolfe had brilliantly defeated Montcalm on September 18th, Quebec became English.

In February, 1760, the Colony voted to raise 1000 men for the Canadian Expedition. Christopher Harris was made Colonel, and proceeding to Albany, joined the force under Lord Amherst. Many of the soldiers, fearing the hardships of a campaign against so distant a place as Montreal, deserted on the way to Albany. Amherst advanced with his main force through Oswego, across Ontario and down the St. Lawrence. Murray came up the river from Quebec, while Haviland with many Colonials, including the Rhode Island contingent, approached down Lake Champlain. On Sept. 8th, 1760, Montreal surrendered to the English, and immediately many of the Colonial troops "demobilized themselves" and returned home.

The Rhode Islanders were very weary of the war, whose military campaign had made heavy levies of both men and money, and although adding Canada to the English domains had been of scant benefit to the Colony. The war itself, on account of the enormous profits made by the privateering enterprises, was rather popular with the maritime interests.

In March, 1761, the General Assembly voted to raise 666 men for the ensuing campaign. These men were to serve until November first unless the campaign ended previously. John Whiting was made Colonel. The commissioned officers, as was the custom, had to enlist a certain number of men in order to qualify for their commission. The campaign was for the most part garrison duty. In October Col. Whiting and a company of 66 men were detailed to garrison Fort Stanwix, and the rest of the Rhode Islanders returned to Albany and thence by water to Providence.

In February, 1762, the Colony voted to raise 666 men for the year's campaign. In March an act was passed to raise 178 men for H. M. regular army. Samuel Rose was made Colonel of the Rhode Island regiment. The first detachment was hurried to New York in May and shipped to Cuba. The Rhode Island contingent was commanded by Lt. Col. Hargill and consisted of (187 or, as some accounts say, 210 men), being the first detachments of the companies under Hargill, Fry, and Russell. The remainder of the regiment, the second detachment, went to Albany under Col. Rose. Havana was captured by the Colonial and Regular troops on August 13th, 1762, and the Rhode Islanders returned home in November, having lost about half their number through sickness and battle. Another 179 men enlisted in H. M. regular army during the latter part of 1762 and early part of 1763. Capt. Cornell with 66 men served at Fort Stanwix during the winter of 1762-63, but were disbanded in July, 1763.

In the later years of the war the English arms had been successful not only in Canada and the West Indies, but also in India, where Clive was laying the foundations for a large empire. On the European battlefield, too, England and her allies had finally obtained the ascendancy, Sweden and Russia

having withdrawn from the conflict. These conquests had but little effect upon Rhode Island, who found herself, upon the declaration of peace, facing the problems of reorganization with her chief source of income (privateering) abruptly cut off, and her population and wealth sorely depleted by the late war.

On Tuesday, February 8th, 1763, the King's Proclamation of Peace was publicly read in Rhode Island.

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In February, 1755, a Committee of War consisting of five members was constituted, and given the control and direction of the military activities of the Colony. The membership of this board was augmented from time to time, and continued to exercise its important functions throughout the war, although subject to the resolutions of the General Assembly, which created it.

Councils of War were held occasionally but were of local rather than of general importance. They consisted of the Governor and Deputy Governor, the Assistants from the town, and the Colonels, Lieutenant-Colonels, Majors, and Captains or those acting as such, of the militia companies of the County in which the Council was held. When at Newport the Captain of Fort George was also included.

The size of the companies varied from fifty to one hundred men, and the regiments from five to thirteen companies, as the exigencies of the situation demanded. Each regiment was commanded by a Colonel, with his staff, consisting of a Lieutenant-Colonel, a Major, and an Adjutant. Usually each regiment had a Chaplain, a Commissary, and a Surgeon. In some campaigns a Deputy-Commissary, a Quartermaster, a Sutler, an Assistant Surgeon, and an Armorer were attached to the regiment. In no campaigns did two Rhode Island regiments operate in the same expedition. In the campaign of 1762 the Rhode Island regiment was divided into two detachments, the one operating about Albany being under the Colonel, and the one taking part in the siege of Havana being under the Lieutenant-Colonel.

Each company had a Captain, a Lieutenant and an Ensign and in some campaigns a Second Lieutenant also. The first, second and third companies were (except in the campaign of 1755) under the command of the Colonel, the Lieutenant-Colonel and the Major, respectively. The First Lieutenant of each of these three companies was often styled Captain-Lieutenant and drew a Captain's pay. The regiment's Adjutant was chosen from the company Lieutenants and acted in both capacities. The non-commissioned officers were Sergeants and Corporals and usually two drummers were considered as necessary for each company.

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OUTLINE SUMMARY OF THE COMPANIES OF THE RHODE ISLAND REGIMENTS, 1755 TO 1762

Enlisted		1755
		COL. CHRISTOPHER HARRIS' Regt.
March	1st Co.	Capt. Cole
	2 "	" (Sterry) Angell
	3 "	" Babcock
	4 "	" Francis
August	5 "	" J. Whiting
	6 "	" Hammond
	7 "	" Bradford
September	8 "	" Bosworth
	9 "	" Potter
	10 "	" Hopkins
	11 "	" Richmond
		Winter of 1755-6
		1st Co. Capt. J. Whiting

Enlisted		1756
		COL. CHRISTOPHER HARRIS' Regt.
February	1st Co.	Col. Harris
	2 "	" Lt. Col. Champlin
	3 "	" Maj. Angell
	4 "	" Capt. Gardner
	5 "	" Babcock
	6 "	" Richmond
	7 "	" Potter
	8 "	" Bosworth
Continuous service	9 "	" J. Whiting
	10 "	" Hammond (Sept. Burkett)
	11 "	" Fry
June	12 "	" Jenckes

COL. HOPKINS' Regt. called "The 400 Men."

October 1st Co. Col. Hopkins
 2 " Lt. Col. Wickham
 3 " Major Champlin
 4 " Capt. Belcher
 5 " " Richmond
 6 " " Windsor
 7 " " Coggeshall

Enlisted

1757

COL. SAMUEL ANGELL'S Regt.

February 1st Co. Capt. (Gardner) E. Whiting
 2 " " (Potter) Jenckes
 3 " " J. Whiting
 4 " " Greene
 5 " " Wall

August

COL. JOHN ANDREWS' Regt.

Marched on the alarm of August 1757, known
 as the 10 days' expedition.

Winter Service 1757-8

1st Co. Capt. E. Whiting

Enlisted

1758

COL. (GODFREY MALBONE) HENRY BABCOCK'S Regt.

March 1st Co. Col. (Malbone) Babcock
 2 " Lt. Col. (Babcock) Potter
 3 " Major Wall (Brown)
 4 " Capt. J. Whiting
 5 " " Jenckes (Burkett)
 6 " " Tew
 7 " " Rose
 8 " " Peck
 9 " " (Potter) Hacker
 Continuous service 10 " " E. Whiting

Enlisted

1759

COL. HENRY BABCOCK'S Regt.

February 1st Co. Col. Babcock
 2 " Lt. Col. (Wall) J. Whiting
 3 " Major (J. Whiting) E. Whiting
 4 " Capt. Burkett
 5 " " Tew
 6 " " Rose
 7 " " Peck
 8 " " Fry
 9 " " Eddy
 10 " " Hargill
 11 " " Brown
 12 " " Tripp
 13 " " Palmer

Enlisted

1760

COL. CHRISTOPHER HARRIS' Regt.

February 1st Co. Col. Harris
 2 " Lt. Col. Whiting
 3 " Major Burkett
 4 " Capt. Rose
 5 " " Hargill
 6 " " Peck
 7 " " Fry
 8 " " Russell
 9 " " Tew
 10 " " Brown

Enlisted

1761

COL. JOHN WHITING'S Regt.

March 1st Co. Col. J. Whiting
 2 " Lt. Col. Rose
 3 " Major Hargill
 4 " Capt. Kimball
 5 " " Peck
 6 " " Hopkins
 7 " " Russell

Winter Service 1761-2

1st Co. Col. Whiting

1762

COL. SAMUEL ROSE'S REGT.

1st Co. Col. Rose

2 " Lt. Col. Hargill

3 " Major Peck

4 " Capt. Hawkins

5 " " Fry

6 " " Tew

7 " " Russell

Winter service 1762-63

1st Co. Capt. Geo. Cornell

TABLE SHOWING THE YEARS OF SERVICE OF THE MEMBERS
OF THE COMMITTEE OF WAR OF THE COLONY
OF RHODE ISLAND.

Appointed	Name	
February 1755	Daniel Jenckes	1755-56-57-58-59-60
" "	Thomas Cranston	1755-56-57-58-59-60-61-62
" "	Peter Bours	1755-56-57-58-59-60-61 died
" "	Stephen Hopkins	1755-56-57
" "	Jonathan Nichols	1755-56-died
September 1756	John Gardner	1756-57- -59-60
May 1757	Robert Potter	1757-58-59- -61-62
March 1758	Nathan Rice	1758-59-60
May " "	Abraham Smith	1758-59-60
December " "	Thomas Greene	1758-59-60
February 1759	Nicholas Gardner	1759-60-61
" 1760	Gideon Comstock	1760-61-62
May " "	Joseph Hazard	1760
June 1761	John Jepson	1761-62
" " "	Elisha Brown	1761-62
" " "	Thos. Casey	1761-62
" " "	Shearjashub Bourn	1761-62
October " "	John Bours	1761-62
1762	George Jackson	1762
" "	Thomas Potter, Jr.	1762

BROWN

John Served on Privateer Defiance of Newport in 1756,
and on Privateer George of Newport in 1757.

Joseph of Providence Volunteered on alarm of Aug.
1757.

Joseph Served in Capt. E. Whiting's Co. in 1757.

Joseph of Middletown Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

Joshua 2nd Lieutenant of Capt. Whiting's Co. in winter
service 1755-6, and in 1756, 1st Lieutenant of Capt.
Wall's Co. in 1758, succeeded Wall as Captain in
1758, and served as Captain in 1759 and 1760.

Joshua of Hopkinton Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

Nathaniel Served on Privateer Blackbird in 1762.

Nicholas of Providence Volunteered on alarm of Aug.
1757.

Nicholas of Smithfield Served in Col. Harris' Regt. in
1756, marched on alarm of Aug. 1757, and served in
Capt. Jenckes' Co. in 1758.

Obadiah of Providence Appointed on committee to build
sloop of war in 1757, and volunteered on alarm of
Aug. 1757.

Obadiah of Gloucester Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757,
and served in campaign of 1758.

Richard Mate on Privateer Blackbird in 1762.

Roger Served on Privateer George of Newport in 1757,
and as Boatswain on Privateer George of Newport in
1758.

Stephen Enlisted in H. M. regular army Jan. 13, 1763.

Thomas Served in Capt. Belcher's Co. in 1756.

✓ BROWNELL, Joseph Served in Capt. E. Whiting's Co. in 1757,
in campaign of 1760, and as Ensign of Capt. Hopkins'
Co. in 1761. *and kin*

BRUMMINGHAM, Richard Served in campaign of 1758.

BRUCE, Robert Served in Capt. Cornell's Co. in 1763 at
Albany.

BRUSH, Thomas Served in Capt. Greene's Co. in 1757,

BRUSSILL, and in Capt. Fry's Co. at Havana in 1762.

William of Warwick Served in Lt. Col. Angell's Co. in
1756, and in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757.

BRYANT, John Enlisted in H. M. regular army Jan. 6, 1763.

Nicholas of Newport Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

William Served in campaign of 1756.

BUCKLEY, Roger Enlisted at Newport for campaign of 1762.

BUCKLIN, Joseph of Providence Volunteered on alarm of
Aug. 1757.

BUCKMASTER, Thomas Served in Capt. J. Whiting's Co. in
1757, and enlisted at Newport for campaign of 1762.

BUFFET, Thomas Served in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757.

BUFFILL, Thomas Served in Capt. Potter's Co. in 1756, and
in campaign of 1758.

BUFFUM, Walter of Newport Commander of Privateer
Triton of Newport in 1758 (Sh.), and 1759.

BULL, John Served on Privateer George of Newport in 1757,
and as 2nd Lieutenant on Privateer George of New-
port in 1758.

Tom Served on Privateer George of Newport in 1758.

BULLOCK, Jonathan Served in Capt. Jenckes' Co. in 1757.

BUNDY, Jonathan Served in Capt. Greene's Co. in 1757.

BURDEN, John of Tiverton Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

BURDICK, Benjamin Served in Capt. Brown's Co. in 1758.

Elias Ensign of Capt. Russell's Co. in 1761.

Ezais Served in Capt. Brown's Co. in 1758 and 1759.

Ichabod Served in Capt. Brown's Co. in 1758 and 1759.

Jesse Served in campaign of 1762.

John of Charlestown Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

Jonathan of Newport Commander of Privateer Molly of
Newport in 1760, and of Privateer Sarah in 1761
(Sh.).

Oliver of Westerly Served in Capt. Russell's Co. at
Havana in 1762, and died 22 Aug. 1762.

Robert of Westerly Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

Thomas of Stonington and Westerly Served in campaign
of 1755, and was killed.

Thomas Served in campaign of 1762.

Zaccheus Served in Capt. Greene's Co. in 1757.

Zebediah Served in campaign of 1762.

GOODBIT, John Served in Col. Rose's Regt. in 1762.
 GOODBID,
 GOODSSELL, Levi Served in Campaign of 1762.
 GOODSPEED, Nathaniel Served in campaigns of 1760 and 1762.
 GOODWILL, John of Hopkinton Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.
 GORDON, John Served as Ensign of Lt. Col. Whiting's Co. in 1760.
 William Served in campaign of 1756.
 GORHAM, Jabez of Providence Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.
 GORTON, Israel, Jr., of Cranston Marched as Captain on alarm of Aug. 1757.
 Joseph Served at Fort George, R. I., in 1758.
 Othniel of Warwick Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.
 GOULD, John Served in Capt. J. Whiting's Co. in 1757.
 Nathaniel of Cumberland Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.
 Prince Served in Col. Harris' Regt. in 1756, in Capt. J. Whiting's Co. in 1757, in Capt. Jenckes' Co. in 1758, in campaign of 1759, and in Capt. Hawkins' Co. in 1762.
 Prince Served on Privateer George of Newport in 1758.
 GOWING, Timothy of Smithfield Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.
 GOWN,
 GRAFTON, William Served on Privateer George of Newport in 1757.
 GRAHAM, Alexander Served in Major Peck's Co. in 1762.
 Richard Enlisted at Newport for campaign of 1762.
 Robert Served in Capt. Russell's Co. in 1760.
 GRANT, Charles Enlisted at Newport for campaign of 1762.
 Morris Served in Capt. J. Whiting's Co. in 1757.
 ✓ GRAY, Daniel Served as armorer on Privateer George of Newport in 1757.
 Edward of Little Compton Served as Lieutenant in Capt. Babcock's Co. in 1755, and marched as Lieutenant on alarm of Aug. 1757.

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GRAY

Joseph Served on Privateer Defiance of Newport in 1756.
 Robert Enlisted at Newport as a seaman in 1762.
 GREATRICKS, Sylvanus Served in campaign of 1761.
 GREATREX,
 GREENE, Abel Served in Col. Harris' Regt. in 1760, and in Lt. Col. Hargill's Co. at Havana in 1762.
 Amos, Jr., of Charlestown Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.
 Benjamin of W. Greenwich Served in Capt. Fry's Co. in 1756, in Capt. Jenckes' Co. in 1758 and in campaign of 1759.
 Daniel Served in Col. Rose's Regt. in 1762.
 Edward Served in campaign of 1761, and in Capt. Fry's Co. in 1762.
 Elias Served in Capt. Fry's Co. at Havana in 1762.
 Henry of Cranston Served in Col. Hopkin's Regt. in 1756, and marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.
 Isaac of Coventry Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.
 James of Coventry (Lieutenant) Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.
 Jeremiah Served as Captain of 4th Co. in Col. Angell's Regt. in 1757.
 Jeremiah Served in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757.
 Jeremiah of West Greenwich Served in Capt. Fry's Co. in 1756.
 Job Served in Col. Rose's Regt. in 1762.
 John of North Kingstown Marched as Ensign on alarm of Aug. 1757.
 John of Coventry (son of James) Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.
 John Served in Col. Babcock's Co. in 1759.
 John Served in Capt. Peck's Co. in 1761.
 Josias Served in Capt. E. Whiting's Co. in 1759.
 Lewis Served in campaign of 1761, and in Capt. Fry's Co. at Havana in 1762.
 Pleg Served in Capt. Fry's Co. at Havana in 1762.
 Phillip Served in Col. Harris' Regt. in 1760.

HOPKINS

Robert of Exeter Lieutenant of Capt. Bradford's Co. in 1755.

Robert Lieutenant of Capt. Hopkins' Co. in 1755.

Robert Lieutenant of Capt. Potter's Co. in 1758.

Robert Enlisted for campaign of 1760 in Capt. Hopkins' Co.

Rufus Commissary of Col. Harris' Regt. in 1756.

St. Jago Served on Privateer Blackbird in 1762.

Stephen of Providence Governor from May 1755 to May 1757, and from March 1758 to May 1762; member of committee of war in 1755, 1756 and 1757; commissioner to meet with commissioners of other Colonies in 1755, Colonel of 2nd Regiment in 1756, volunteered on alarm of Aug. 1757.

Thomas Served at Fort George, R. I., in 1757.

Tibbitts 1st Lieutenant of Lt. Col. Wall's Co. in 1759,

1st Lieutenant and later Captain-Lieutenant of Col.

Harris' Co. in 1760, and Captain of 6th Co. in 1761.

HORSEWELL, Josiah Served in Capt. J. Whiting's Co. in 1757. — Kin

Luke of Little Compton Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

HORTON, Ephraim Served in campaign of 1761, and in Major Peck's Co. in 1762.

Job Served in campaign of 1761, and in Major Peck's Co. in 1762.

HORN, Richard, Jr., of Portsmouth Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

Thomas of Portsmouth Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

HOUGHTON, Nicholas 1st Lieutenant on Privateer General Johnson in 1757.

HOUSE, Christopher Enlisted at Newport as A. B. seaman and served on H. M. S. Pembroke in 1759.

HOWARD, Benjamin of Warwick Served in Capt. Potter's Co. in 1756, and in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757.

Boutwill Served on Privateer George of Newport in 1757.

Daniel of Gloucester Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

Ebenezer Served in Capt. Jenckes' Co. in 1756, and in campaigns of 1758, 1759 and 1761.

HOWARD

Henry Served in Capt. E. Whiting's Co. in 1757, and in Capt. Brown's Co. in 1759.

Isaac Served in Col. Harris' Regt. in 1760.

John of Cumberland Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757, and served in campaign of 1762.

Robert Served on Privateer George of Newport in 1757.

Samuel Served in Capt. Jenckes' Co. in 1757.

Thomas Served in Capt. Jenckes' Co. in 1758, and in campaign of 1759.

William Served as boy on Privateer George of Newport in 1758.

HOWE, Estes of Newport 1st Lieutenant of Privateer Defiance of Newport in 1756, and Commander of Privateer Duke of Marlborough of Newport in 1758.

HOWELL, Thomas Served in Capt. Belcher's Co. in 1756.

William Served in Capt. Jenckes' Co. in 1757.

HOXSIE, Joseph Served in Capt. Belcher's Co. in 1756.

HOYLE, John Served in campaign of 1761.

HOYT, Jonathan Served in Capt. Jenckes' Co. in 1757.

HUBBARD, John Served on Privateer George of Newport in 1757.

John Served as boy on Privateer George of Newport in 1757.

HUDSON, Daniel Served in campaigns of 1758, 1759, 1760 and 1761.

Henry Served in campaign of 1759.

Reuben of Warren Served in Capt. Peck's Co. in 1758 and 1759.

Thomas Served in Capt. Greene's Co. in 1757.

Thomas of Newport Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

HULL, Joseph (colored) Served on Privateer George of Newport in 1757.

Samuel Served in Capt. J. Whiting's Co. in 1758.

HUMPHREYS, Abijah Enlisted in H. M. regular army in 1762.

HUNT, Benjamin Served in campaign of 1757.

Ebenezer Served in Capt. Fry's Co. in 1762.

Ezekiel Served in Col. Harris' Regt. in 1760.

PALMER

- Moses Second Lieutenant of Capt. Babcock's Co. in 1758, and Captain in 1759.
- PALMETER, Andrew Served in Capt. Brown's Co. in 1758.
- Benajah Served in Capt. Brown's Co. in 1759.
- Jesse Served in Capt. Brown's Co. in 1759, and in campaign of 1760.
- John Served as Sergeant in Capt. Russell's Co. at Havana in 1762.
- Silas Served in Capt. Brown's Co. in 1759.
- PARK, Benjamin of Westerly Served in campaign of 1756, and marched as an officer on alarm of Aug. 1757.
- Joseph, Jr., of Westerly Served in campaign of 1756, and marched as an officer on alarm of Aug. 1757.
- Thomas Served in campaign of 1756, marched as an officer on alarm of Aug. 1757, appointed Second Lieutenant of Capt. Potter's Co. in 1758, but was transferred to Col. Babcock's Co.
- PARKER, Jacob Served in campaign of 1762.
- John of Gloucester Served in Capt. Jenckes' Co. in 1756 and 1757.
- Joseph Served in Capt. Hawkins' Co. in 1762.
- Peter Served in campaign of 1758.
- PARR, Moses Served in Capt. Greene's Co. in 1757.
- Thomas Served in Capt. Greene's Co. in 1757, and in Capt. Rose's Co. in 1760.
- PARRY, John Served on Privateer George of Newport in 1757.
- PARTLOW, John Served in Capt. Greene's Co. in 1757.
- PATTERSON, John of Bristol Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.
- Joseph Served in Capt. Peck's Co. in 1761.
- Robert Served on Privateer George of Newport in 1757.
- PAUGONUTT, John (Indian) Served in campaign of 1760.
- PAULL, Joshua Served on Privateer George of Newport in 1757 and 1758.
- PEABODY, Ephraim of Providence Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.
- PEACHMAN, Peter Served in Capt. Russell's Co. at Havana in 1762, and died 21 Aug. 1762.

PEALMAN, Andrew Enlisted at Newport for campaign of 1762.

✓ PEARCE, Benoni of Providence Volunteered on alarm of Aug. 1757.

Ephraim Served in Capt. Peck's Co. in 1761.

James Ensign of Capt. Hargill's Co. in 1760.

James Served in Capt. Kimball's Co. in 1761, and in campaign of 1762.

Michael of Warwick Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

See PEIRCE.

PECK, Ichabod of Cumberland Marched as Captain on alarm of Aug. 1757.

Israel Ensign of Capt. Gardner's (E. Whiting's) Co. in 1757, Lieutenant in campaign of 1758, 1st Lieutenant of Capt. Palmer's Co. in 1759, 1st Lieutenant of Capt. Tew's Co. in 1760, appointed Ensign of Col. Whiting's Co. in 1761, advanced to Lieutenant and transferred as Lieutenant to Capt. Peck's Co. in 1761, and 1st Lieutenant of Major Peck's Co. in 1762.

Nathaniel of Warren Ensign of Capt. Richmond's Co. in 1755, 2nd Lieutenant of Capt. Richmond's Co. in 1756, 1st Lieutenant of Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757, Captain in campaigns of 1758, 1759, 1760 and 1761, and Major of Col. Rose's Regt. in 1762.

PECKHAM, Caleb, Jr., of Newport Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

Peleg Served in campaign of 1762.

Philip of Newport Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

— (son of Isaac of Westerly) Served in campaign of 1760.

PEIRCE, Benjamin of Warwick Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

Reuben of E. Greenwich Served in Capt. Fry's Co. in 1756, and in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757.

Samuel of Warwick Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757, and served in campaign of 1759.

See PEARCE and PURSE.

PENDER, Peleg Served in Capt. J. Whiting's Co. in 1757.

Note: when I copied this at Salt Lake City long ago, I did not realize that some of our Pearce family was currently spelling the name Pierce. I don't know why. (PIERCE)

ROGERS

Jonathan Served in Capt. J. Whiting's Co. in 1757.
 Joshua Served in Capt. Russell's Co. in 1760.
 Joseph Enlisted in H. M. regular army in 1762.
 Josias 2nd Lieutenant of Capt. Belcher's Co. in 1756.
 Thomas Served in Capt. Greene's Co. in 1757, and in
 Col. Rose's Regt. in 1762.

William Member of councils of war in 1756, 1757 and
 1758.

Rood, Thomas Served in campaign of 1762.
 Rose, Samuel 2nd Lieutenant of Capt. Hammond's Co. in
 1756, Lieutenant of Capt. E. Whiting's Co. in 1757,
 Captain in 1758, 1759 and 1760, Lieutenant Colonel
 in 1761, and Colonel of R. I. Regiment in 1762.

Thomas Ensign of Capt. Peck's Co. in 1758 and advanced
 to 2nd Lieutenant, 1st Lieutenant of Capt. Peck's Co.
 in 1759, 1760 and 1761, 2nd Lieutenant of Col. Rose's
 Co. in 1762, served and died at Havana in 1762.

Ross, Alexander Served in Col. Harris' Co. in 1756, in Capt.
 Wall's Co. in 1757, and in campaign of 1762.

Andrew Enlisted in H. M. regular army in 1762.

Benjamin Served in campaign of 1762.

James Enlisted at Newport for campaign of 1762.

Robin Served in Capt. E. Whiting's Co. in 1757.

Thomas Served in Capt. Brown's Co. in 1759.

Thomas, Jr. Served in Capt. Russell's Co. at Havana in
 1762 and died 22 Dec. 1762.

William of Newport Served in Lt. Col. Angell's Co. in
 1756, marched on alarm of Aug. 1757, and served in
 Col. Babcock's Co. in 1758.

Rosse, John Commander of Privateer King of Prussia of
 Newport in 1757.

ROWLAND, James Sergeant in Capt. Peck's Co. in 1761, and
 in Major Peck's Co. in 1762.

Lewis Served in Capt. Peck's Co. in 1761.

Rowse, Benjamin Served in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757, and in

✓ ROUSE, Col. Harris' Regt. in 1760.

James of E. Greenwich Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

ROUSE

John of Warwick Served in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757.

Jonathan Served at Fort Stanwix in 1761, and in Capt.
 Fry's Co. in 1762.

Roy, Caleb of Coventry Served in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757.

Richard Served in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757.

William Served in Lt. Col. Angell's Co. in 1756.

RUDDY, James Served as A. B. seaman on H. M. S. Pembroke
 READAY, in 1759 and 1760.

RUGGLES, Thomas Doctor on Privateer George of Newport in
 1758.

RUMREILL, Ebenezer of Newport Marched as Captain-Lieu-
 tenant on alarm of Aug. 1757, and served as member
 of councils of war in 1757, 1758 and 1759.

RUSSELL, Daniel Member of councils of war in 1757.

David Served in Col. Harris' Regt. in 1760.

Giles Ensign of Capt. Hopkins' Co. in 1755, 1st Lieuten-
 ant of Capt. Babcock's Co. in 1756, Adjutant in 1756,
 1st Lieutenant of Capt. Greene's Co. in 1757, 1st
 Lieutenant of Capt. J. Whiting's Co. in 1758, Adju-
 tant in 1758, wounded at Ticonderoga July 8, 1758,
 1st Lieutenant of Capt. Brown's Co. in 1759, Adju-
 tant in 1759, Captain July 10, 1759, Captain in 1760,
 1761 and 1762, served at Havana in 1762.

John Served in Capt. J. Whiting's Co. in 1757, and in
 Capt. Jenckes' Co. in 1758.

RUST, Benjamin of Newport Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

RYAN, Michael of Newport Commander of Privateer Harle-
 quin of Newport in 1762.

SABIN, Elijah Served in Capt. E. Whiting's Co. in 1757.

Henry of Newport Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

SACHEM, Thomas Served in Capt. Russell's Co. in 1760.

SAKE, Ephraim Served in campaign of 1760.

SALISBURY, Aaron of Cranston Served in campaigns of 1756,
 1757 and 1758 and was wounded.

Abraham Served in Capt. Jenckes' Co. in 1758, in cam-
 paigns of 1759 and 1760, and in Capt. Kimball's Co.
 in 1761.

enlisted for campaign of 1762, and in H. M. regular army in 1762.

ILLARD, Charles Served in Capt. Fry's Co. in 1761, and in Capt. Fry's Co. at Havana in 1762.

ILLIAMS, David Served as a seaman at Oswego in 1756 and was taken prisoner.

John Served on Privateer Defiance of Newport in 1756.

Peleg of Providence Served in Capt. Jenckes' Co. in 1756, marched on alarm of Aug. 1757, and served in campaigns of 1758 and 1759.

Peter Served in Capt. J. Whiting's Co. in 1757.

Peter Served on Privateer George of Newport in 1758.

Robert Served in campaigns of 1758 and 1759.

Samuel Enlisted at Newport for campaign of 1762.

Theophilus of Providence Volunteered on alarm of Aug. 1757.

Thomas Served in Capt. Jenckes' Co. in 1757, and in campaign of 1758.

Timothy Served in Capt. Jenckes' Co. in 1757, and in campaigns of 1758 and 1760.

Zebedee Served in Col. Harris' Regt. in 1760.

WILLIAMSON, John Served in campaign of 1759.

WILLIE,

WYLLIE, Benjamin Served in Capt. J. Whiting's Co. in 1757, and enlisted in H. M. regular army in 1762.

WILLIS, Charles Served in Capt. Greene's Co. in 1757.

Henry Served in Capt. J. Whiting's Co. in 1757.

WILLISTON, John of Little Compton Marched as Capt. on alarm of Aug. 1757.

WILLS, Henry Served in Capt. Brown's Co. in 1759.

Peter Served in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757.

See WILL.

WILMARTH, Thomas Served in Major Peck's Co. in 1762.

Timothy Served in campaign of 1758.

WILSON, Elisha Served in Col. Harris' Regt. in 1760.

James Served as boat-builder at Oswego in 1756 and was taken prisoner.

James Enlisted in H. M. regular army in 1762.

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WILSON

John Served in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757.

Joseph Served in Capt. Jenckes' Co. in 1756.

WINDSOR, Joseph of Providence Appointed Captain of special company in Sept. 1756; appointed and served as Captain of Sixth Co. of Col. Hopkins' Regt. in Oct. 1756, and volunteered on alarm of Aug. 1757.

WINGOOD, Samuel Served as ordinary seaman on H. M. S. Pembroke in 1759 and 1760.

WINMAN, Richard Served in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757, in Col.

WINDMAN, Harris' Regt. in 1760, and in Col. Rose's Regt. in 1762.

WINRIGHT, Thomas of E. Greenwich Served in Capt. Wall's WAINWRIGHT, Co. in 1757.

WOID, Abner Served in Major Burkett's Co. in 1760.

WOLLARD, Richard Served in Capt. Belcher's Co. in 1756, and in Col. Babcock's Co. in 1758 and 1759.

WONKUM, Ebenezer Served in Capt. J. Whiting's Co. in 1757.

WOOD, Benjamin of Warwick Served in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757, and in Col. Harris' Regt. in 1760.

✓ George of Little Compton Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

Henry of Little Compton Marched as Ensign on alarm of Aug. 1757.

John Served in Capt. J. Whiting's Co. in 1757, in Capt. E. Whiting's Co. in 1758 and 1759, in campaign of 1760, and in Capt. Russell's Co. at Havana in 1762.

John Served in Capt. Fry's Co. at Havana in 1762.

Nathan Served in campaign of 1760, and in Capt. Kimball's Co. in 1761.

Thomas of Newport Served in Col. Hopkins' Regt. in 1756, and in campaign of 1762.

William of Warwick Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

William, Jr., of Warwick Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

Zebulon of Coventry Served in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757, and in Capt. Fry's Co. at Havana in 1762.

WOODBURY, Ebenezer of Newport Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

(This must be our Lt. George Wood who fought in the Rev. War, for he was the only man of that name in Little Compton at the time--njz)

CHAPTER IV

The Revolution and War of 1812

"In his eighteenth year he enlisted in the revolutionary army, and was one of the thousand men who, under Colonel Prescott, on the night of the 16th of June, 1775, marched from Cambridge to Breed's Hill and threw up the redoubt, which, the next day, brought on the Battle of Bunker Hill." H. W. Blake, 1888, writing of Sylvester Brownell

When news of the Boston Tea Party reached Little Compton meetings were held and resolutions passed. The following are taken from the town records:

"That whereas there is an act of Parliament to levy a duty on tea imported into America, which is a tax on Americans, therefore it is Resolved, That we will stand ready with our lives and fortunes, not only to assist this colony, but the patriotic government of Massachusetts Bay, New York, Philadelphia, or any other of our sister colonies."

On November 29, 1776, "that Adams Simmons be appointed to act with the Committee of Safety in furnishing the soldiers who are immediately to be raised in this town, with blankets, knapsacks, firearms, bayonets and cartridge boxes, and Voted that this Town give thirsty shillings lawful money, to be paid to each of fifteen able-bodied men who shall first enlist out of the militia of this town."

By Roswell B. Burchard 1904: At the breaking out of the war the population of the town was 1,232, of which 304 were white males over sixteen years of age.

A state committee of safety had been convened, composed of one man from each county. William Richmond, of Little Compton represented Newport County.

He was as conspicuous a figure in the community during the Revolution as his uncle had been during the French Wars. He was colonel in the State Brigade in 1776, and was at one time military governor of Newport.

No Rhode Island troops were in the Battle of Bunker Hill, but it is quite certain that some Rhode Island individuals such as Jonathan Brownell and his son Sylvester were among the heroes of that famous event. The Brownells went to war with Massachusetts soldiers. Jonathan Brownell died in 1776, at the age of 57, as a result of wounds at Bunker Hill but his son, Sylvester, served throughout the war. Sylvester's commission as major, signed by Samuel Adams, hangs in the parlor of the old Brownell homestead. In this house he died, in 1840, at the age of eighty-

two years.

A Newport County regiment, the Third Rhode Island, was mustered in on May 3d, 1775, with Thomas Church of Little Compton as colonel. Little Compton then raised a company of twenty-four men under command of Capt. Thomas Brownell.

In June, 1775, after the Battle of Bunker Hill, six companies were raised to recruit the regiments before Boston; two were from Newport county and one of these, the Ninth, appears to have been officered by Little Compton men: Thomas Gray, captain; Lemuel Bailey, lieutenant; and William Southworth, ensign.

Meanwhile the militia was strengthened for the defense of the town. In May, 1776, it was reorganized and divided into two companies of-ficered as follows: First Company, Gideon Simmons, captain; Ephraim Simmons, lieutenant; William Bailey, ensign. Second Company, George Simmons, captain; David Cook, lieutenant, and Fobes Little, Jr., ensign.

The record books are full of town legislation affecting the war and frequent appropriations were made for the payment of bounties and supplies.

The Battle of Rhode Island

By Mr. Willbour

The British army occupied the town of Newport from December 8th, 1776 to October 25, 1779. Other parts were occupied by them but none of these towns was used as harshly as Newport. Many families of Newport, Portsmouth and Middletown were forced to take refuge in Little Compton, Tiverton and other places. Washington planned to make a combined attack of the Americans and the French fleet on the British. General Sullivan was in command of the American troops, among whom were many Tiverton and Little Compton men.

It was proposed that while the French cannonaded the town of Newport, General Sullivan would attack it by land.

The plan was that Colonel Greene should cross from Tiverton to Portsmouth, R. I. and General Lafayette should at the same time cross from the island of Conanicut to Portsmouth with French Marines and Continental troops. On the 6th of August General Lafayette with General Varnum's and General Glover's brigades left Providence for Tiverton. General Sullivan transferred his headquarters to Tiverton on the 7th and the date for the combined move was set for the following Monday. The British now evacuated the fort at Butte Hill and withdrew their troops to Newport. This withdrawal was not known to Sullivan until the next morning.

On the 10th, the commander of the French fleet notified Sullivan that he was about to attack. As the French fleet came out the British fleet disappeared in the distance. The French fleet in pursuit of the British then disappeared, leaving the Americans without support.

The day after the disappearance of the French fleet a northeast storm with high wind and rain discommoded the troops. The next day, August 12, the storm had increased so violently as to prevent the movement of the army. A great many of the troops were absolutely without shelter. This was afterwards called the French storm and is mentioned in many of the applications for pensions.

On August 15th, the Americans moved forward, extended across the island from water to water. On the morning of the 19th the first American battery opened; by ten o'clock 300 cannon had been fired and before one o'clock the British had evacuated one redoubt, and after more firing through the next day the British retired. On Tuesday, August 21st, the army was cheered by the sight of the French at anchor off Beaver Tail light. The storm that had so distressed Sullivan's soldiers had proved even more disastrous to the fleet. It was unfit to fight, and had to go to Boston to be repaired.

Meanwhile Sullivan found to his surprise that his volunteers, who composed a greater part of the army, had returned home. After several more days of fighting news of British reinforcements came to Sullivan. He called a council and laid before them the fact that Lord Howe had sailed from New York with his fleet for Newport and that a speedy return of the French fleet was not expected. It was unanimously agreed to retire from the Island. To deceive the British the Americans tents were brought forward and pitched in sight of the enemy. The baggage and stores were sent to the rear and ferried across to the mainland. At dark the tents were struck and the troops and the remaining baggage began to pass over the ferry. By midnight the troops were safely in Tiverton. The retreat was none too soon for the next day Sir Henry Clinton with 72 ships and 4500 men were at hand. The disappointment caused by the failure of this expedition caused both Washington and Congress much uneasiness. However, Congress on September 9th adopted resolutions praising Major Sullivan for a skillful retreat in the face of impossible conditions.

On January 4, 1777, the British frigate Cerberus, laying at Fogland Ferry, in the East passage, was driven from her moorings by the troops at Little Compton who brought two pieces of artillery to bear upon her, damaged the hull, killed six of the crew, and wounded many others. The Americans had one man wounded.

A novel mode of communicating intelligence from the Island to the American army stationed at Tiverton and Little Compton was practised in 1779. Mr. Isaac Barker, a farmer in Middletown, lived about three miles from Newport. On the top of a nearby hill was a set of bars for a

cart passage.

A colonel of a regiment of the enemy's cavalry was quartered at his house, and Barker by his pretended Toryism so ingratiated himself with the British Colonel that he reposed the greatest confidence in him and often urged him to get information from the rebel camp.

Barker used this liberty with caution and prudence. He established a correspondence with a Lieut. Chapin stationed nearly opposite his farm in Little Compton, on the Amassa Gray place, now the Duffield place north of the Edward Richmond farm. With a spy glass, Chapin could see the bars on the hill. When Barker moved the stake it had meaning. Not over a mile from the Barker Farm was a ledge of rocks, and in them a crevice. The hole was the "post office" where Barker could deposit a letter and then communicate by the signals so that it would be sent for.

The English vessels that guarded the entrance of the Saconnet River, and occasionally came up nearly where the Stone Bridge now is, were a great annoyance. Sometimes they went aground on the Tiverton or Little Compton side, where the water is very shoal and at one time a large privateer of the enemy was run aground on the shore at Little Compton just below the farm of Deacon Sylvester Brownell. This farm is the one facing the top of Meeting House Lane. The enemy was obliged to burn the vessel and make their escape.

The ship Pigot, a British vessel, blockaded the east passage or Saconnet River.

Major Silas Talbot determined to take her. In a small sloop called the Hawk, with a corps of 60 men he embarked on his expedition. They passed in safety the British Battery at Bristol Ferry and anchored in Mount Hope Bay, to await a favorable wind.

The next night being dark and the wind favorable, they made sail until near the fort at Fogland Ferry, where they lowered sail and silently drifted with the tide under bare poles, past the battery. It was so dark that they had to send out a boat with muffled oars to find the Pigot. This done, they crowded sail and bore down upon the enemy. A volley of musketry greeted their approach and was answered by a discharge of small arms from the Hawk; but before the Pigot could bring her cannon to bear, the jib boom of the Hawk tore through the nettings and caught in her foreshrouds. Lt. Helme, followed by his command, ran along the bowsprit and boarded the enemy. The galley was taken without the loss of a man on either side and the Hawk with her prize bore away for Stonington. For this gallant act, Congress made Talbot a Lieut. Colonel.

December 1776. An act of the Rhode Island General Assembly.
"And it is voted and resolved that the town of Little Compton, be

permitted to take two field pieces, mounted on carriages; one of the smallest and one 6 or 4 pounder from Howland's ferry: Together with accoutrements thereunto belonging with so many cartridges as the commanding officer there may think proper; and that said town be accountable therefor, to this state.

And it is also further voted and resolved, that the town clerk of said town be and he is hereby empowered to draw half a hundred weight of powder, and 100 and 60 pds of lead, and 500 flints, for the use of the soldiers of said town."

One of these guns was for years on the grounds of the store of Preston B. Richmond and was used in the 1880's to celebrate Fourth of July. Preston B. Richmond's store is the one now owned by the Est. of C. R. Wilbur. This gun was later taken to the Burchard place, Old Acre.

One of the most brutal outrages of the war was the murder of Judge William Taggart's son at the Saconnet Farm in Little Compton in 1779. This farm was later owned by Col. Henry T. Sisson.

In 1776, a few days after the invasion, a Colonel of the Hessian regiments took possession of William Taggart's mansion in Middletown for quarters for himself and retinue. The Judge and two of his sons remained on his farm.

In 1777 he communicated information to the American Army through his son William Taggart Jr. who was with Colonel Stanton at Howland's ferry. Plans for an attack on the British were made and young Taggart and his party landed at Black Point, captured the sentinels, and waited for re-enforcements to arrive. In the meantime the British obtained knowledge of his movements, as well as those of his father, and they all had to flee the island or be taken and hung as spies. Their flight was successful, and they arrived in safety at the American headquarters.

The British, as soon as they found that they had escaped, immediately burnt Taggart's mansion, all building on the farm, and cut down his orchards of fruit trees.

Some time previous to this, the Saconnet Farm in Little Compton, had been sold by Col. Thomas Church to Gideon Sisson, a Tory, but Sisson had never taken possession, it having been confiscated. In consequence of the severe losses Taggart had sustained the General Assembly granted him the privilege of occupying it rent free, as will appear by the vote of the General Assembly.

December 1777.

"Whereas, this Assembly is informed that the farm and appurtenances in Little Compton, sold by Coloney Thomas Church to Gideon Sisson, is still in possession of the said Colonel Church, it is therefore voted and resolved, that Colonel William Richmond be empowered to re-

ceive the possession of said farm, and deliver the same to Capt. William Taggart, on the 25th of March next, to improve the same to his own advantage, to support himself and family, rent free. That he hold possession thereof, at the pleasure of the General Assembly. And that the said William Taggart be, and he is hereby empowered to draw 300 pds lawful money out of the general treasury, for the support of himself and family, the ensuing winter, as a gratuity for his suffering and damages sustained by his extraordinary exertions in behalf of this state in the late intended expedition against the enemy on Rhode Island."

In May 1778, General Sullivan appointed William Taggart Commander of the flotilla of boats, with the rank of Major. He continued in this command until the spring of 1779, when the boat service was terminated. William Taggart Jr. was appointed a captain in the same service.

After the termination of the boat service, the Taggarts retired to the farm at Saconnet Point, but it was of short duration. The British never forgot the father's exertions in the intended attack on them in 1777, and they were determined to capture him and his sons. Capt. Taggart in the following extract tells the story of the murder of his brother, and his own capture, imprisonment and escape.

"Toward the latter part of July, 1779, a large party of Loyalists, called 'Refugees', came to Little Compton for the express purpose of making prisoners of my Father and his sons. This party landed undiscovered although there was a guard kept at the house and sentinels were stationed on the shore. Two of the sentinels discovering a boat, hailed and fired, but were immediately seized by the enemy with threats of immediate death for daring to fire. We were alarmed at the house by the report of the muskets; and I and my unfortunate brother were the first to reach the shore, and were instantly made prisoners by the enemy, who were in ambush. As they appeared to be in confusion, my brother attempted to escape by leaping over a stone wall, when he was fired on, and wounded through the thigh. One of the merciless desperadoes pursued and ran him through with a bayonet. Although more than half a century has passed since the cruel and savage deed, my blood still thrills at the recollection of the tragic scene. They then took four of our party on board their schooner, and lodged us in the jail at Newport. I there remained as prisoner, for about a fortnight, when with a Capt. Benjamin Borden, of Fall River, I made my escape in the following manner. In the cellar we observed that instead of iron the windows were furnished with wooden bars which might be easily removed with a knife. From the cellar window by which we escaped, a few steps brought us into the street in front, and in view of the sentry, who fortunately for us was at that time in the sentry box on account of the rain which was falling. Near the hay scales in Broad street we went into the fields and crossed the lines which enclosed the town. We then steered our course between the forts by Irish's and Tammany Hill, in order to avoid the regiment of Anspach, which was encamped nearby. The darkness prevented our recapture, for

as we heard the sound when the guard was relieved at the fort at Irish's, we came out into the West Road and proceeded towards Bristol Ferry, halting at the house of Nathan Brownell, who received us with great kindness. As the shores were closely guarded we could not obtain a boat, and our only alternative was to procure a number of rails from the fences, for a raft, and make an escape. We left the shore with our raft, unperceived. A thick fog came up, and we were all night upon or rather in the water, as our raft was not strong enough to keep us entirely above the surface; and at day break, when the fog passed away, we found ourselves so near the island, that we could see the sentinels leaving the shore, and were in momentary expectation of being retaken. About an hour after sunrise, we safely landed from our sinking raft on the Island of Prudence. From Prudence, we were conveyed to the town of Bristol and proceeded to our places of abode."

Gideon Sisson's lands were restored to him after the war; Taggart was reinstated at Newport and was one of a committee of four to receive General Washington there in 1781.

In 1880 Philip Fobes Little published a pamphlet entitled, Fragmen-tary Sketches and Incidents in Little Compton and Tiverton during the Revolution and the War of 1812. He says, "There is hardly a person living in Rhode Island and more especially in Little Compton and Tiverton but what had a relative who was a soldier and took part in the Revolution and the war with Great Britain in 1812-15.

The Author has taken great pains to draw his information from parties while living and it is correct and reliable.

In the year 1834, the writer of the following reminiscences was a justice of the peace in the town of Little Compton and was qualified agreeable to the requirements of the war Department to aid old soldiers and widows in procuring a pension. At that time there were then living in the town 46 men who drew a pension.

At the time Lafayette came to aid our colonies, one of the Little Compton's patriots, Mr. Benoni Simmons, was on board the Alliance. During the passage they fell in with one of his Majesty's British Men of War and while preparations were being made for an engagement, Lafayette requested the honor of taking charge of the quarter deck guns.

Mr. Simmons was a ships carpenter by trade but while in the navy his right arm was shot off by a cannon ball. After peace was established he pursued his former occupation at ship building and it is said he could hew more timber and do a greater day's work with one hand than any ordinary ships carpenter.

Frank Wilbour, another Naval pensioner of the Revolution, while cruising the ocean, fell in with one of the enemy's vessels. It being calm,

the Yankees decided on boarding her. The barge which Mr. Wilbur was in pulled up under the stern of the enemy and as a rolling sea lifted the barge, Mr. Wilbur, without orders, made a leap for the cabin window, caught hold of the casing and hauled himself up by his hands. He immediately ran upon deck with a pistol in each hand and before the boats had got alongside cried out with a loud voice. "You are taken, submit and surrender for the cabin is full of men." The whole crew, officers and all, were completely panic stricken at this sudden declaration and seeing the boats along side, they surrendered without opposition.

Mr. Wilbour was afterwards promoted in consideration of this heroic act. After leaving the navy, he joined the army and was in Sullivan's expedition upon Rhode Island.

The British held possession of the Island of Rhode Island for nearly three years. It was deemed expedient for the safety of property and the people to have guard duty performed along the shores from Howland's Ferry in Tiverton to Seaconnet Point.

The first guard house was called the Rouse House, under command of Capt. John Davis. The house was located at Brim Stone hill on the west side of West Road and was once owned by John Irish.

The second was called the Red House under command of Captain Ephraim Simmons. It was later owned by Col. Amasa Gray (Duffield House).

The third guard house was the Richmond house, under the command of Capt. William Richmond. This is situated south and west from the Red House, is owned by Mr. William Chace. (Later owned again by the Richmonds. Ed.)

The fourth was called the Coe house under the command of Capt. Benjamin Coe. This house stands near the windmills. (Near the Seaconnet Cemetery. Ed.)

The fifth was called the Taggart house under the command of Capt. Thomas Church, situated at Church's cove, near the mansion of Governor Sisson. (Demolished. Ed.)

It was at this guard house that Mr. Taggart fell a sacrifice to his country by British cruelty.

During the Revolutionary struggle with Great Britain, Fobes Little kept a public house or Tavern in Little Compton, the house in which the writer of this article (P. F. Little) was born, and standing a short distance north of Oliver H. Almy's. When the British monarch levied a heavy tax on tea, Fobes Little destroyed all the tea about the premises. He also demolished every cup and saucer and everything pertaining to

tea drinking, declaring that none of his household or guests should encourage British imports. Ephraim Little, son of this old patriot, was a drummer boy at the battle of Bunker Hill.

Dr. John Almy with six others, from Little Compton, in the night time took a boat at Taylor's Lane and landed at Taggart's ferry. Leaving one man in charge of the boat they proceeded north along the bank until they came to a wall. Here they concealed themselves and waited the approach of the Hessians. They had been watching about half an hour when six Hessians rode through the barway. The boys rose up with guns cocked and fixed bayonets and ordered them to surrender. They took from them their coats, equipage, side arms, horse blankets, saddles, bridles etc., turned their horses loose and marched them off, but the boat being small, they let them go on condition they would keep quiet until they were safely off.

These adventurers arrived back to Saconnet just as the day was breaking, passing within a few yards of the enemy's ship undiscovered, although they could hear the sentinels pacing the deck. They brought with them their booty as a trophy."

From Town Records, 1788.

"To Messrs George Simmons and Nathaniel Searles, deputies for the town of Little Compton.

We the inhabitants of Little Compton being lawfully assembled in public town meeting this 6th day of January A. D. 1788 for the purpose of taking into consideration the proceedings of the late Honorable Continental Convention and being deeply impressed with a sense of the extreme need we stand in, of a well organized, energetic national government, and viewing the new federal constitution as a plan of government well adapted to the present critical situation of our national affairs;

We do therefore enjoin upon you gentlemen as our positive instruction, that you and each of you do use your utmost endeavors at the next session of the General Assembly of this state to have an act passed recommending to the several towns in this state, to choose deputies to meet in a state convention as soon as maybe for the purpose of adopting or rejecting the new federal constitution agreeably to the requisition of the late Honorable the Continental Convention; and these our positive instructions Gentlemen, you must not fail to execute, under pain of incurring our highest displeasure."

In Bristol and Little Compton the majority were in favor. The other towns generally gave their voice against it, and not until 1790 did R. I. come into the union. (B. F. W.)

Slaves in Little Compton By Mr. Wilbour

In 1774 there were 16,034 slaves in New England. Rhode Island had more than six times as many slaves as any other state in New England in relation to population. Commercial interests of Rhode Island such as rum distilleries, spermaceti works, and large scale agriculture in the famous Narragansett country increased the slave population. On the eve of the Revolution, there was one slave to every fifteen whites. In Little Compton the farms were not large, but in South Kingstown they lived more as they did in the south, families having large plantations, slaves to work them, race horses, and dancing masters. South Kingstown was far different from Puritan Little Compton.

A slave named Cuff belonging to Thomas Borden of Portsmouth, R. I. was convicted of trespass against Comfort Taylor widow, of Little Compton. At a court of equity held at Providence in October 1743, the plaintiff was awarded judgement of 200 pds and costs against Cuff. But Comfort Taylor, realizing that the slave could not discharge the judgement and in the event of Cuff's imprisonment she would lose the damages awarded by the court, petitioned the general assembly to empower the sheriff to sell the negro. She contended that the negro was private property, so he was sold as personal estate.

Lucy Collins who lived on the John Church place, was the daughter of Primus Collins and his wife, who had formerly been slaves.

According to the census of 1774 there were forty-four negro slaves owned in Little Compton. The largest number owned by any one family at that date was three. The following people owned slaves: Samuel Bailey 2, Ephraim Bailey 1, Thomas Bailey 3, John Bailey 3, William Barton 1, Thomas Burgess 1, Stephen Brownell 1, Samuel Brownell 1, David Cook 2, Abial Cook 3, Thomas Church 3, Samuel Gray of Mushquosh Hollow 2, Richard Grinnell 2, John Hunt 1, Susanna Hilliard 1, George Pearce 1, Nathaniel Searles 2, Aaron Wilbor 1, John Wilbor 1, George Wood 1, Constant Woodman 1.

Some of the slaves in Rhode Island enlisted April 14, 1778 and formed a battalion of their own to fight the British. They were bought from their masters and later freed.

Boston Wilbour, who belonged to John Wilbour of Little Compton, was a soldier in this battalion as was Ebenezer Richmond, slave of Perez Richmond, and Ebenezer Gray, the slave of Samuel Gray.

Often slaves did not have ordinary English names but names which were much used for black men of those times. Here is a list of some who joined the R. I. Battalion which fought in the Battle of Rhode Island: Titus, Africa, Sigby, Cuff, Buckus, Cudjo, Caesar, Sharpener, Prince,

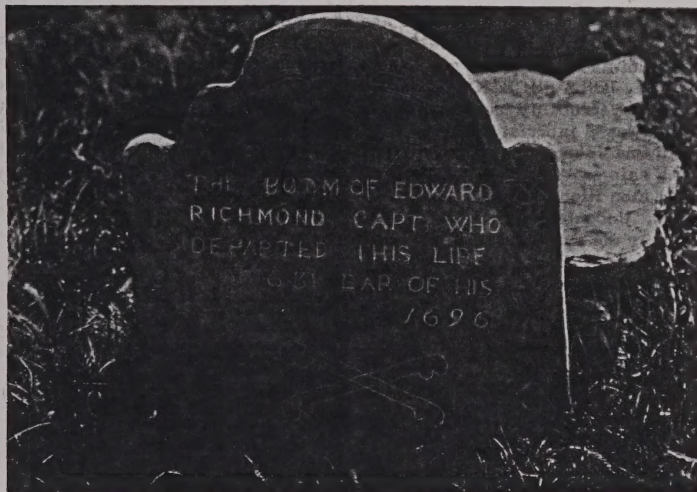
Before coming to LC, he owned a place in Newport, in that part now called Middletown. A gunsmith, he bought two great lots in LC. He lived on the place known as the Father Richmond place, which is slightly north of the entrance to Meeting House Lane, on the other side of the West Main Road and is buried in this place, where his gravestone (the next to the oldest in town) may still be seen in the small Richmond cemetery. He was the first settler by the name of Richmond in LC.

He was one of the incorporaters of LC in 1674. The deed of the town was made out to the following first settlers:

✓ Joseph Church	✓ Samuel Gray	Thomas Ward
William Southworth	John Irish	John Shearman
John House	Peter Gilmore	Isaac Woodworth
Nathaniel Warren	John Washburn	✓ William Pabodie
Benjamin Woodworth	Benjamin Church	John Rogers
Edward Richmond	William Fobes	✓ Simon Rouse ✓
Joseph Woodworth		Josiah Cook

These men came primarily from Duxbury, Plymouth and other Massachusetts towns, but they were soon joined by a much larger flood of people who came over from the Island of Rhode Island and the towns of Newport and Portsmouth.

Capt. Richmond's inventory is on record in Taunton.



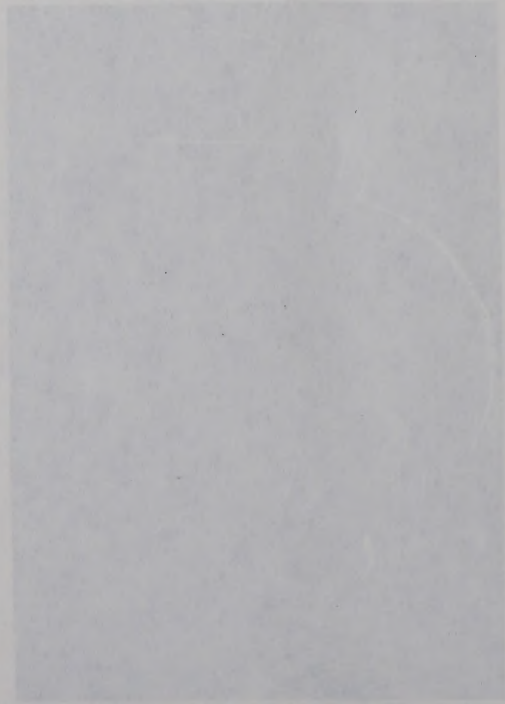
GRAVESTONE OF CAPTAIN EDWARD RICHMOND

Richmond Cemetery, Little Compton, R. I.

From the book of Little Compton Records, is this copy of the listing of the estate of Capt. Edward Richmond:

Edward Richmond administrator of the estate of his father Capt. Edward Richmond late of LC deceased exhibited an account May 19 1697 of debts, "Which I have payde, and stand engaged to pay since his decease." Items paid.

1697 To Doctor Arnold for his help in my father's sickness.
For drinke at the funerall.
To Mr. William Foabs and Daniel Eatton for taken an Inventory.
Pyde Weston Clark.
To Saml Crandall for keepeing a payr of oxen.
For three quarts of rum when we divided the estate.
To Daniel Howland.
Twife Goeing to Bristol and Christopr, Charges.
Joseph Blackman for three paire of shoos.
Ezeck Carr for Trimming of Caske.
Mr. Jones in money which was due by him by bond.
✓ Simon Rouse for mending a Gunn lock.
John Irish for half a c of Clabords.
John Peckham for mowing.
Daniel Greenel for Expenche when the land was lotted.
Daniel Eatton for Father's expence.
Tom the Indian for digging the grave and a debt due to him before.
John Briggs for keeping of rams and 5s for boot for horfs.
John Smith the taylor for work done.
Brother Henry and Ann.
✓ Mr. Pabodie for the allotment and going with us.
Ebenezer Allen
Thomas Waite.
Doctr Talmon for cureing Amos his legg.
William Simmons for smith Worke.
Zachariah Allin.
Mr. Natha payde for a debt upon booke.
Mr. Collings for rent of sheep.
Mr. Codington for book debt.
Daniel Thirston for money lent and Book Dt.
Mr. Homsbye for expence.
✓ Mr. Pabodye and Mr. Foabs for laying out land.
Jonathan Danford for makeing a Coff.
Aunt Northway for a winding sheet.
✓ Joseph Church Jr.
To Mr. William Foabs 8s wch he pd for father for the Purchase of land.
Aron Davis for keeping a calfe and one Board lent.
And for funerall, parts of ye sd Estat delivered to the several children. 35l pds 19 s 10 p May 1697.



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Family Record

(Paternal Ancestors) ??
Family No.

Wood (1a)

Surname

Father -

John WOOD, Jr

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth		ca	1593			England	of Newport RI "Freeman"	
Death	below 17 Mar		1655	Portsmouth		Rhode Island	Portsmouth 1648. (Perhaps bought tobacco farm in New Amsterdam 1640 and Baybrook CT which he sold.)	
Buried								
Married		ca	1616?	London?		England		
Occupation	Mariner, Ship's agent, etc?			Military		Church		
Places Lived	England, Rhode Island - various parts of call in MA, CT, New Amsterdam, Long Island							
Other Wives	② Elizabeth (?) (widow of John Smith?) about 1655 - ?							
His Father's Name						Wood		
His Mother's Maiden Name								

Mother -

Maybe Margaret CARTER

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth		ca	1595			England	To Margoth LI life 1643 with Richard Smith	
Death	? bap 7 March		1644	Mespath		Long Island	In Mespath massacre & 10 Mi from Gowanus - settlement org. by Francis Deppel	
Buried							of Tacony, Plymouth Colony	
Occupation	Mariner, Ship's agent, etc			Military		Church		
Places Lived	England, Rhode Island - various parts of call including MA, CT, New Amsterdam, Long Island							
Other Husbands								
Her Father's Name						Carter?		
Her Mother's Maiden Name								

Children

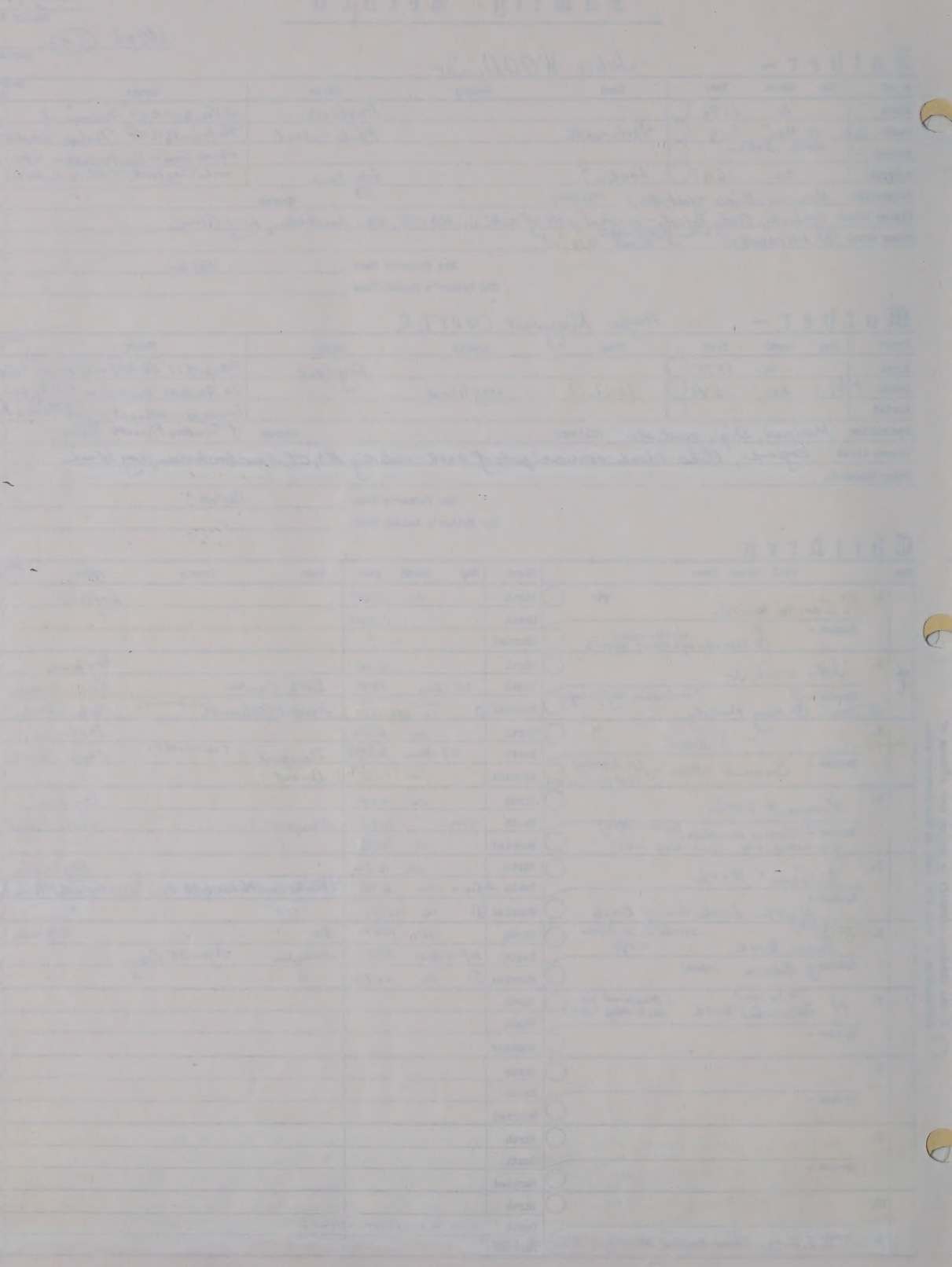
Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
1.	?? George Wood	Birth		ca	1618?			England	
	Spouse - ①	Death			1664?				
	② Ann who mrs Henry Rogers	Married			?				
2.	John Wood, Jr.	Birth			1620			England	
	Spouse - ①	Death	26 Aug		1709	Little Compton		Rhode Island	
	② Anna? ③ Mary Peabody	Married ③			1663	Newport/Portsmouth		Rhode Island	
3.	() Wood	Birth		ca	1622			England	
	Spouse - Samuel Jennings (a tenney)	Death	23 Mar		1654/5	Newport? (ca 1660-1670?)		Rhode Island	
	(had child 1647)	Married		ca	1658	"		"	
4.	Margaret Wood	Birth		ca	1624			England	
	Spouse - Thomas Manchester	Death	after		1673	Newport?		Rhode Island	
	(1620-16914) of Winstock, Eng. (had child 1647)	Married		ca	1646	"		"	
5.	William Wood	Birth		ca	163-			England	
	Spouse - Martha Earle, dau. of Repp	Death	Apr 4 Jan		1696	Liver in Portsmouth RI & Dartmouth MA			
	(Ct) Service in K-Pow 1687/6	Married ②		ca	1667/7	"			
6.	Thomas Wood	Birth		ca	1622			England	
	Spouse - ① Rebecca ? Had	Death	bap 4 Apr		1704	Salem Jan		Plymouth Colony	
		Married ③		ca	1667/8	"			
7.	?? Frederick Wood	Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
8.		Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							

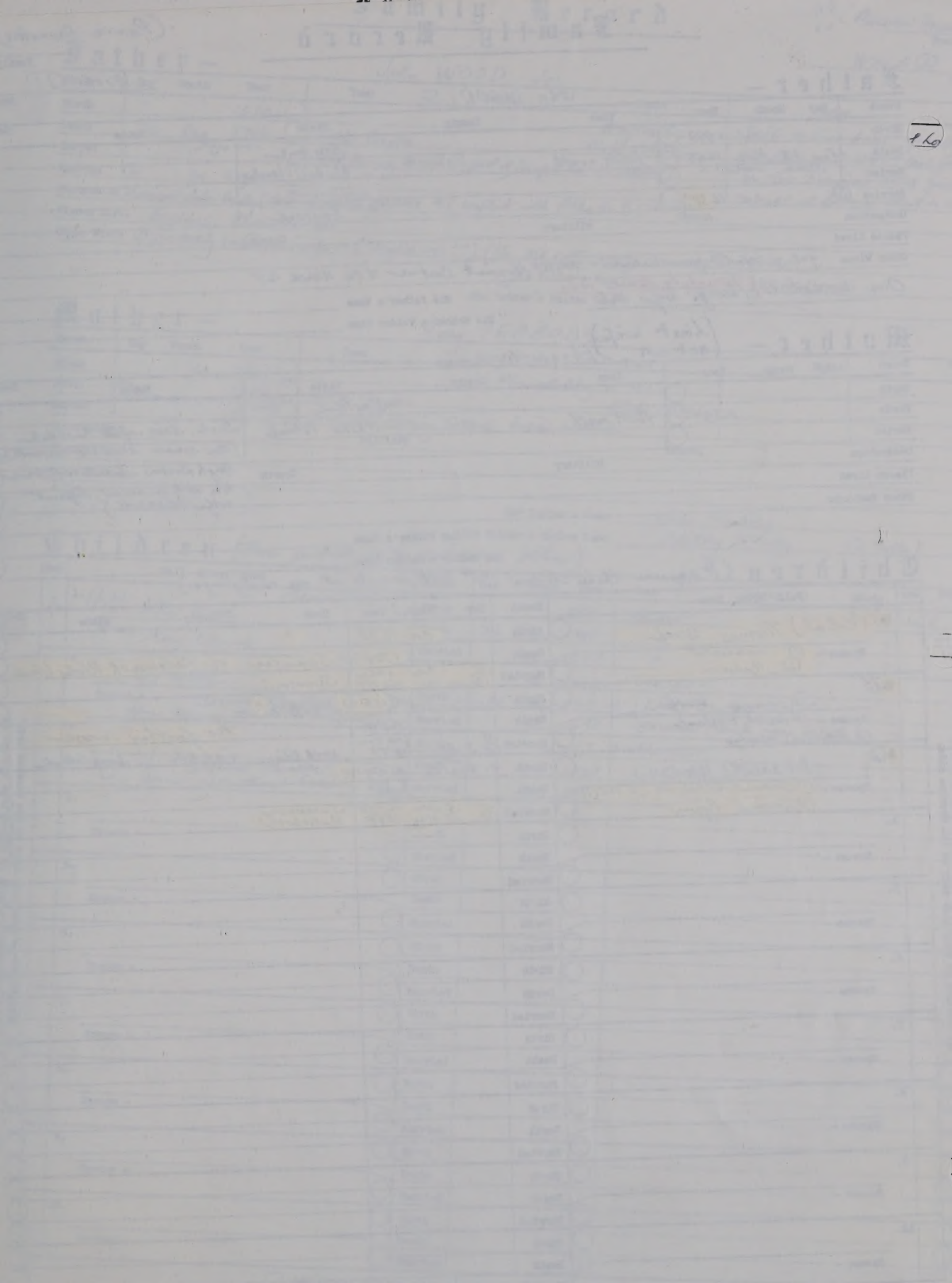
② Researcher Barbra Clarke (and at first D.W. Evans who took over when she died) believed George Wood was a colorful long island man who had an illegitimate Indian son & later an ordinary & died mysteriously - the authorities thought his death was due to liver cancer. Evans changed her mind. Wilbur & others did not believe that George Wood was other. I'm not even sure John, Jr had an older brother. George was not mentioned in John Sr's estate settlement.

X See C.A. Torrey - "New England Marriages Prior to 1700."

☐ Additional children listed on the reverse side.

In the circles, identify by number your sources of information - then list each on the reverse side.





Family Record

(Pearce Ancestors)??

Family No.

Wood (16)

Surname

Father -

John WOOD, Jr.

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth		ca	1593			England		
Death	before 17 Mar	1655		Portsmouth		Rhode Island		
Buried								
Married		ca	16			? England		
Occupation				Military				
Places Lived						Church		

Other Wives yes - wife ① name unknown - maybe Margaret Carter d ca March 165

Our descent is supposed by some to be through wife #1

His Father's Name

His Mother's Maiden Name

Mother - (last wife)

(not ours)

Elizabeth

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth						England		
Death		1655		Portsmouth		Rhode Island	Died soon after husband - (one source says she married ②)	
Buried								
Occupation				Military				
Places Lived						Church	High persons - but Torrey shows him with an earlier, different wife, Elizabeth.)	
Other Husbands								

Her Father's Name

Her Mother's Maiden Name

Children (It appears these children lost both parents at an early age)

Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
	Spouse -	Birth							
		Death							
	Spouse -	Married							
①	Susanna Wood	Birth		ca	165	Newport			
	Spouse - ① Josiah, England	Death			1694				
	② Ephraim Carpenter	Married	3 Dec	1677		North Riding	Yorkshire	Long Island	
②	Elizabeth Wood	Birth		ca	165				
	Spouse -	Death							
	Isaac Doty ²	Married							
4.		Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
5.		Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
6.		Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
7.		Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
8.		Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
9.		Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
10.		Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							

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Family Record

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Family No.

Wood (2)

Surname

Father -

John WOOD, Jr

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth			1620			England	Said to have been "of London"	
Death	26	Aug	1704	Little Compton		Rhode Island	as late as 1699? And factor	
Buried			Page 54	Wood Burying Ground (in part of Newport near Middletown)			for ship "Peregrine" which sailed	
Married	(2)		ca 1658/1660				to sail at Boston for wheat in 1698	
Occupation	Marine - later deputy (state representative) Military R1 conflict with Atherton Co (1661-9) Church							
Places Lived	England, Rhode Island							
Other Wives	(1) probably unknown wife - ("English wife?") (He did not marry Anne of Long Island.)							
	His Father's Name Wood							
	His Mother's Maiden Name							

Mother -

Mary PEBODY

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth			ca 1635?			Plymouth Colony or RI		
Death	4th		1702	Little Compton		Rhode Island		
Buried			(5th)	Wood Burying Ground			beside husband	
Occupation	Military Church							
Places Lived								
Other Husbands								

Her Father's Name

John Pebody

Her Mother's Maiden Name

Dorothy Tolley (or Tully)

Children (Then probably were unknown others)

Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
+	1. (lt) John Wood (Colin's son)	Birth			1664	Newport		Rhode Island	
	Spouse - Mary Church	Death	22	Feb	1740	Little Compton		"	
		Married			ca 1688	"	"	"	
	2. Thomas Wood	Birth			ca 1664?	Newport		"	
	Spouse - Content Thurston (dau Edward Thurston & Elizabeth (Wright))	Death	16	May	1728	Little Compton		"	
		Married			ca 1690	Sacoanet (Early name for R.I.)		"	
	3. Henry Wood	Birth			ca 167-	Newport		"	
	Spouse - Content Thurston (dau Jonathan (Wright) & Elizabeth)	Death	14	Nov	1758	Little Compton		"	
		Married			ca 1695?	"	"	"	
	4.	Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
	5.	Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
	6.	Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
	7.	Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
	8.	Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
	9.	Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
	10.	Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							

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Family Record

(Pearce Ancestors)

Family No.

Wood (2)

Surname

Father -

John WOOD, Jr.

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth			1620			England		
Death	26	Aug	1704	Little Compton		Rhode Island	Wicks Resident of Newport in 1658	
Buried			May 84	Wood Burying Ground (in part of Newport now in Middletown)				
Married	① ?	ca	1656/60	Portsmouth				
Occupation	Mariner "of London" as late as 1648, factor for ship <i>Argentine</i> which failed to call at Boston for sheet in 1648 (DWE)							
Places Lived	England, Rhode Island, etc.							
Other Wives	① probably unknown wife in England ② doubtful - Anne - see below							
				His Father's Name		John Wood, Sr.		
				His Mother's Maiden Name		maybe Margaret Carter (DWE)		

Mother -

Mary PEABODY

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth		ca	1635+					
Death			(? after 1700)	Little Compton or Newport				
Buried								
Occupation					Military	Church		
Places Lived								
Other Husbands								
				Her Father's Name		John Peabody		
				Her Mother's Maiden Name		Dorothy Tooley (or Tally)		

Children There likely were more. Only three positively identified

Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
+	1. (lt) John Wood (Colonial Wars)	Birth			1664	Newport		Rhode Island	
	Spouse - Mary Church	Death	22	Feb	1740	Little Compton		"	
		Married		ca	1688				
	2. Thomas Wood	Birth			1666	Newport			
	Spouse - Content Thurston (saw Edward + Eliz. Mott)	Death	24	up	May	1729	Little Compton		
		Married			1690	"Saco" = L.C.			
	3. Henry Wood	Birth			167-			- See "The American Genealogist"	
	Spouse - Content Thurston (saw Jonathan)	Death			1758			article by Dorothy Wood Ewens	
		Married		?	ca	1695		Vol 50 p 142	
	4.	Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
	5.	Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
	6.	Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
	7.	Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
	8.	Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
	9.	Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
	10.	Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							

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Family Record

Family No.

Father - (Lt) John WOOD

Surname

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth			1664	Little Compton		Rhode Island		
Death	22	Feb	1740	Little Compton		"		
Buried								
Married		ca	1688			"		

Occupation Farmer Military "Lt of Troop" Church

Places Lived Their farm was a wedding gift from Mary's father. It went "from the West Road to the Shore along Taylor's Lane where it was one block wide."

Other Wives

His Father's Name Anthony Woods (Shropshire England)

His Mother's Maiden Name (not found)

Mother - Mary CHURCH

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth	26	Mar	1666/7			Rhode Island		
Death	11	Nov	1748	Little Compton		"		
Buried								

Occupation Military Church

Places Lived

Other Husbands

This family was one of the worst sufferers of a dreadful epidemic in Little Compton, in 8 days, six young Woods died of a "throat distemper." Two babies had died. Only Joseph lived longer than both parents. Her Father's Name Joseph Church Her Mother's Maiden Name Mary Tucker

Children

Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
1.	John Wood II (age 22)	Birth	16	July	1689	Little Compton		Rhode Island	
	Spouse -	Death	13	Mar	1711/2	"			
		Married							
2.	Mary Wood	Birth	14	Mar	1691	"			
	Spouse - Thomas Bailey (1690-4 Feb 1744) son John Bailey & Abigail (Brown)	Death	7	Oct	1745				
		Married	10	July	1712				
3.	Sarah Wood (age 20)	B/D	6 Nov	1692-8 Mar	1711/2				
4.	Deborah Wood (age 18)	B/D	7 Mar	1694-16 Mar	1711/2				
5.	Margaret Wood (age 16)	B/D	20 Apr	1696-9 Mar	1711/2				
6.	Abigail Wood (age 14 1/2)	B/D	26 Dec	1697-16 Mar	1711/2				
7.	Elizabeth Wood (age 12)	B/D	6 Nov	1699-10 Mar	1711/2				
	Spouse -								
8.	Hannah Wood (60A-3dy) (20)	Birth	7 Oct	1701-4 dy					
	Spouse - (Hendrick Hammett Loving) Jonathan Peck (- 8/25/1787) (son Jonathan & Elizabeth Peck)	Death	14 June	1730	Bristol		Rhode Island		
		Married	5 Jan	1721					
9.	Rebecca Wood	Birth	4 Nov	1703	Little Compton				
	Spouse - 11 months old	Death	Oct	1703	" "				
		Married							
+ 10.	Joseph Wood (Vet - Saw service in Colonial Wars)	Birth	23 Dec	1705	Little Compton				
	Spouse - Mary Brownell (9 Nov 1704-6 Oct 1741)	Death	22 Nov	1767					
		Married	31 Aug	1727					
11.	Dorothy Wood	Birth	12 Dec	1707	Little Compton				
	Spouse - Joseph Rogers (-	Death	?						
		Married	16 Mar	1727					
12.	Thomas Wood	Birth	17 -						
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							

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Family Record

Family No.

Father -

Joseph WOOD, "Esquire"

Surname

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth	23	Dec	1705	Little Compton		Rhode Island		
Death	22	Jan	1767	"		"		
Buried				"		Old Commons Cemetery		
Married	31	Aug	1727				md by Richard Billings JP	
Occupation	Farmer			Military Pvt., Colonial Wars			Church	
Places Lived								
Other Wives								

His Father's Name

John Wood III

His Mother's Maiden Name

Mary Church

Mother -

Mary BROWNELL

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth	9	Nov	1709	Little Compton		Rhode Island		
Death	6	Oct	1791	"		"		
Buried				"	Old Commons Cemetery			
Occupation				Military			Church	
Places Lived								
Other Husbands								

Her Father's Name

George Brownell

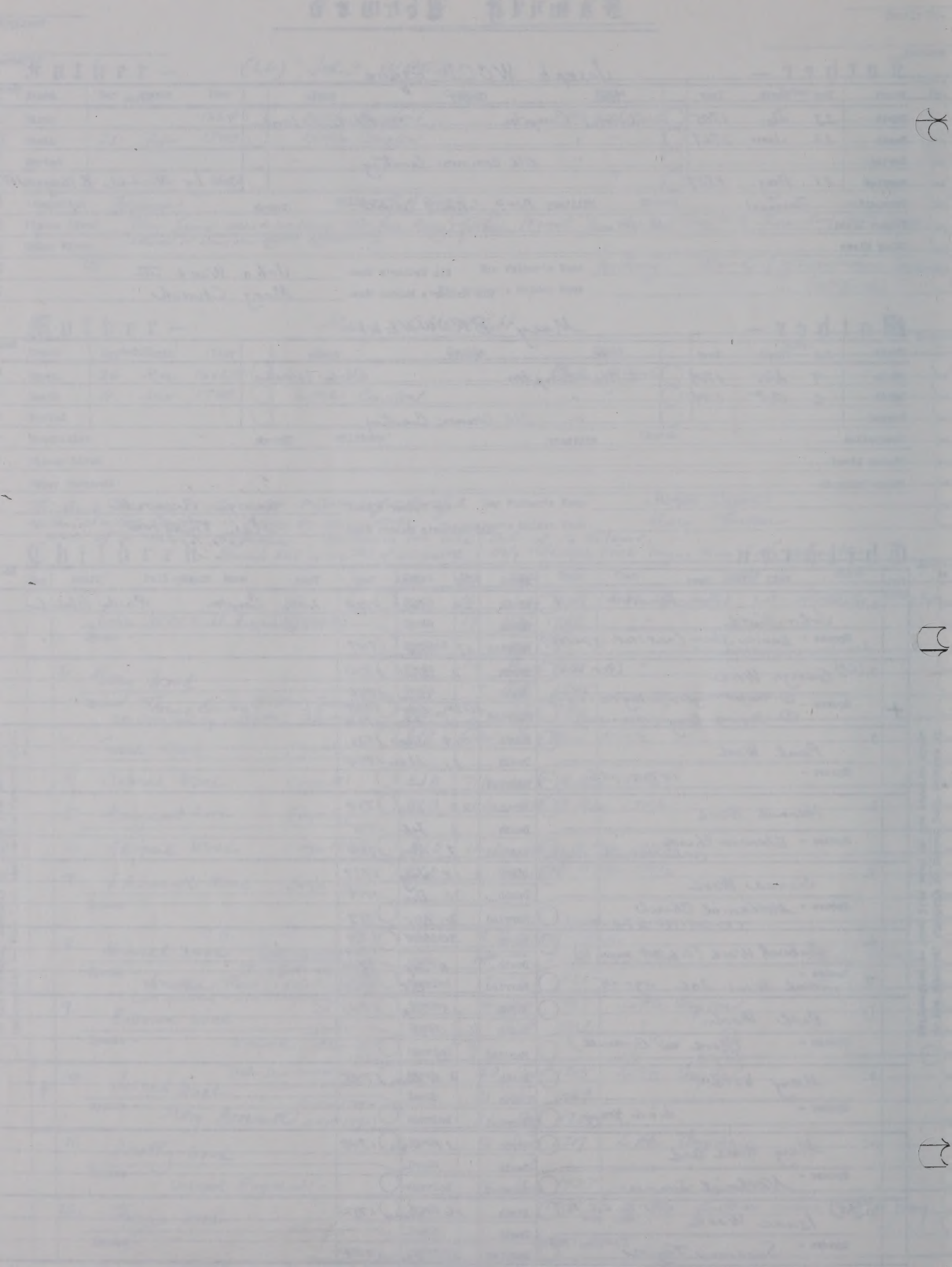
Her Mother's Maiden Name

Mary Thurston

Children

Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
	1. L. M. Little 1703 (Finnish - Indian War) John Wood	Birth	22	Dec	1728	Little Compton		Rhode Island	
	Spouse - Eunice Shaw (7 Oct 1728 - 13 Feb 1800) died 13 Feb 1800 (Finnish)	Death			?	Dartmouth			
		Married	27	Nov	1747				
+	2. (Lt) George Wood (Rev. War)	Birth	2	Nov	1730				
	Spouse - ① Comfort Taylor (25 May 1735 - 176-) ② Desire Gray (1735 - 1822)	Death		Jan	1820				
		Married	1030	Dec	1753	LC			
			10	Feb	1762	LC			
	3. Paul Wood	Birth	19	Jan	1733				
	Spouse - 14 yrs old	Death	31	Mar	1734				
		Married			-				
	4. Hannah Wood	Birth	22	Dec	1734				
	Spouse - Ebenezer Church (22 Jan 1735 - 10 Feb 1825)	Death	3	Feb	1815				
		Married	7	Mar	1754				
	5. Sarah Wood	Birth	18	July	1737				
	Spouse - Nathaniel Church (22 Oct 1732 - 5 Feb 1825)	Death	30	Dec	1819				
		Married	30	Nov	1757				
	6. Deborah Wood (did not marry?)	Birth	30	Nov	1739				
		Death		Jan	1784				
		Birth	5	Sep	1741				
	7. Paul Wood 2nd age	Death		Oct	1764				
	8. Ruth Wood	Birth	25	Sep	1743	LC			
	Spouse - ① Brook ② Brownell died 1783 176- 176-	Death	1783			LC			
		Married	③ 28	-	1763				
	9. Mary Wood	Birth	26	Dec	1745				
	Spouse - died young	Death							
		Married							
	10. Mary Wood 2nd	Birth	31	Jan	1748				
	Spouse - Nathaniel Simmons	Death			-				
		Married			-				
	11. (Lt) Isaac Wood (1st Co. L.C. Mil. Rev War)	Birth	16	June	1752				
	Spouse - Susanna Taylor (20 Dec 1745)	Death			-				
		Married	21	Apr	1774				
	12. Rebecca (age 11) B? D?	died young							

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Family Record

Birth - (1) George Wood

Birth	Death	Age	Sex	Notes
1871	1901	30	M	George Wood
1872	1902	30	F	Elizabeth Wood
1873	1903	30	M	John Wood
1874	1904	30	F	Mary Wood
1875	1905	30	M	William Wood
1876	1906	30	F	Ann Wood
1877	1907	30	M	James Wood
1878	1908	30	F	Elizabeth Wood
1879	1909	30	M	John Wood
1880	1910	30	F	Mary Wood

Birth - (2) John Wood

Birth	Death	Age	Sex	Notes
1881	1911	30	M	John Wood
1882	1912	30	F	Elizabeth Wood
1883	1913	30	M	John Wood
1884	1914	30	F	Mary Wood
1885	1915	30	M	William Wood
1886	1916	30	F	Ann Wood
1887	1917	30	M	James Wood
1888	1918	30	F	Elizabeth Wood
1889	1919	30	M	John Wood
1890	1920	30	F	Mary Wood

Birth - (3) Elizabeth Wood

Birth	Death	Age	Sex	Notes
1891	1921	30	F	Elizabeth Wood
1892	1922	30	M	John Wood
1893	1923	30	F	Mary Wood
1894	1924	30	M	William Wood
1895	1925	30	F	Ann Wood
1896	1926	30	M	James Wood
1897	1927	30	F	Elizabeth Wood
1898	1928	30	M	John Wood
1899	1929	30	F	Mary Wood
1900	1930	30	M	William Wood

Birth - (4) John Wood

Birth	Death	Age	Sex	Notes
1901	1931	30	M	John Wood
1902	1932	30	F	Elizabeth Wood
1903	1933	30	M	John Wood
1904	1934	30	F	Mary Wood
1905	1935	30	M	William Wood
1906	1936	30	F	Ann Wood
1907	1937	30	M	James Wood
1908	1938	30	F	Elizabeth Wood
1909	1939	30	M	John Wood
1910	1940	30	F	Mary Wood

Birth - (5) Elizabeth Wood

Birth	Death	Age	Sex	Notes
1911	1941	30	F	Elizabeth Wood
1912	1942	30	M	John Wood
1913	1943	30	F	Mary Wood
1914	1944	30	M	William Wood
1915	1945	30	F	Ann Wood
1916	1946	30	M	James Wood
1917	1947	30	F	Elizabeth Wood
1918	1948	30	M	John Wood
1919	1949	30	F	Mary Wood
1920	1950	30	M	William Wood

Birth - (6) John Wood

Birth	Death	Age	Sex	Notes
1921	1951	30	M	John Wood
1922	1952	30	F	Elizabeth Wood
1923	1953	30	M	John Wood
1924	1954	30	F	Mary Wood
1925	1955	30	M	William Wood
1926	1956	30	F	Ann Wood
1927	1957	30	M	James Wood
1928	1958	30	F	Elizabeth Wood
1929	1959	30	M	John Wood
1930	1960	30	F	Mary Wood

Birth - (7) Elizabeth Wood

Birth	Death	Age	Sex	Notes
1931	1961	30	F	Elizabeth Wood
1932	1962	30	M	John Wood
1933	1963	30	F	Mary Wood
1934	1964	30	M	William Wood
1935	1965	30	F	Ann Wood
1936	1966	30	M	James Wood
1937	1967	30	F	Elizabeth Wood
1938	1968	30	M	John Wood
1939	1969	30	F	Mary Wood
1940	1970	30	M	William Wood

Birth - (8) John Wood

Birth	Death	Age	Sex	Notes
1941	1971	30	M	John Wood
1942	1972	30	F	Elizabeth Wood
1943	1973	30	M	John Wood
1944	1974	30	F	Mary Wood
1945	1975	30	M	William Wood
1946	1976	30	F	Ann Wood
1947	1977	30	M	James Wood
1948	1978	30	F	Elizabeth Wood
1949	1979	30	M	John Wood
1950	1980	30	F	Mary Wood

Family Record

WOOD

Family No.

Father - (Lt) George WOOD

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth	2	Nov	1730	Little Compton		Rhode Island		
Death		June	1820	Fredonia	Chautauque Co.	New York		
Buried								
Married	10	Feb	1762	Little Compton		Rhode Island		
Occupation	Military Capt. Gideon Simmons Co., Cook's Regt, RI Militia 1778							
Places Lived	Revolutionary War (Also French & Indian Wars approx 1720)							
Other Wives	D m 30 Dec 1753 Comfort Taylor (b. 28 May 1735 & after 1755) (deceased Phillip & Comfort (Dennis) Taylor)							
His Father's Name	Joseph Wood							
His Mother's Maiden Name	Mary Bricewell							

Mother - Desire GRAY

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth	7	July	1735	Little Compton		Rhode Island	MAYFLOWER	
Death		Nov	1822	Fredonia		New York	desert	
Buried								
Occupation	Military				Church			
Places Lived								
Other Husbands								
(George Woods will, dated 1815, bequeathed his land to Capt John Wood, only surviving son)				Her Father's Name		Samuel Gray, Jr.		
				Her Mother's Maiden Name		Hannah Kent		

Children

Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
+	1. Phebe Wood Lived Tiverton	Birth	9	May	1763	Little Compton		Rhode Island	
	Spouse - James Pearce (1755-1820) RI + NY	Death	25	June	1842	Sampson's Cayuga		New York	
		Married	3	July	1783	Little Compton		Rhode Island	
	2. Sarah Wood	Birth	31	Dec	1764	LC			
	Spouse - Hezekiah Barker	Death				Res Fredonia Chautauque		New York	
		Married	27	Nov	1783	LC			
	3. Hannah Wood (resided Sampson's Cayuga)	Birth	21	Nov	1766	LC			
	Spouse - Gideon Durfee (baptized 1809 Albany NY)	Death	25	Nov	1839	Nankin Wayne		Michigan	
	by Militia 1804	Married	6	Feb	1791	Farmington	Columbia Co.	New York	
	4. Lydia Wood	Birth	12	Dec	1769	LC			
	Spouse - David Seabury (1767-1849)	Death	27	July	1838	Knox Albany Co	(Schoharie)	New York	
		Married	7	Nov	1790	LC			
	5. Ruth Wood	Birth	27	Mar	1771				
	Spouse - Abel Simmons (baptized 1765-1803)	Death	baptized?			Res. Paris Oneida		New York	
		Married	29	Aug	1791				
	6. (Capt) John Wood (Lt 1801, Capt 1805-2nd Co, LC RI Militia)	Birth	14	Feb	1773				
	Spouse - Lydia Woodman (baptized 1779)	Death	5	June	1864	Fredonia Chautauque		New York	
		Married			1798				
	7. Gray Wood (deceased, no sons)	Birth	29	Mar	1775	Little Compton		Rhode Island	
	Spouse - Hannah Host (baptized 1774-1814)	Death	17	Jan	1808	"		"	
	(deceased, no sons)	Married	15	Dec	1799	"		"	

For children of James and Phebe (Wood) Pearce, see Pearce Family

Child of (Lt) George Wood and first wife, Comfort Taylor:

1	Comfort Wood	Birth	20	Aug	1755	Little Compton		Rhode Island	
	Spouse - Billings Grinnell (baptized 1749-1815)	Death	15	Nov	1832				
		Married	2	Mar	1775				

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Family No.

Father - (Lt) George WOOD

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth	2	Nov	1730	Little Compton		Rhode Island		
Death		June	1820	Frederica	Chautauque Co.	New York	will probated in Little Compton RI	
Buried								
Married	10	Feb	1762	Little Compton		Rhode Island		
Occupation	Military Capt. Gideon Simmons Co., Cook's Regt, RI Militia 1778							
Places Lived	Revolutionary War							
Other Wives (D) m 30 Dec 1753 Comfort Taylor								
(b. 28 May 1735 d after 1755 dau. Phillip + Comfort (Dennis) Taylor)								
					His Father's Name		Joseph Wood	
					His Mother's Maiden Name		Mary Brownell	

Mother - Desire GRAY

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth	7	July	1735	Little Compton		Rhode Island		
Death		Nov	1822	Frederica		New York		
Buried								
Occupation	Military				Church			
Places Lived								
Other Husbands								
(George Woods will, dated 1815, bequeathed his land to Capt John Wood, only surviving son)				Her Father's Name		Samuel Gray, Jr.		
				Her Mother's Maiden Name		Hannah Kent		

Children

Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
+	Phebe Wood (lived Tiverton RI & NY)	Birth	9	May	1763	Little Compton		Rhode Island	
		Death	25	June	1842	Sampsonius Cayuga		New York	
		Married	3	July	1783	Little Compton		Rhode Island	
2.	Sarah Wood (7 children)	Birth	31	Dec	1764	L. C.			
		Death				Frederica Chautauque		New York	
		Married	27	Nov	1783	L. C.			
3.	Hannah Wood (resided Sampsonius, NY)	Birth	21	Nov	1766	L. C.			
		Death	25	Nov	1859	Nankin Wayne		Michigan	
		Married	6	Feb	1791	Farmington		New York	
4.	Lydia Wood (lived Schoharie, NY)	Birth	12	Dec	1769	L. C.		RI	
		Death	27	July	1858	Knob, Albany Co. (near Schoharie)		New York	
		Married	7	Nov	1790	L. C. Resided in Schoharie NY			
5.	Ruth Wood (7 children)	Birth	27	Mar	1771				
		Death	6	Apr	1840	Res. Paris		Oneida New York	
		Married	29	Aug	1791	L. C.			
6.	John Wood (Lt 1801, Capt 1805-20, Lt Col, LC RI Militia)	Birth	14	Feb	1773	L. C.			
		Death	5	June	1864	Frederica Chautauque		New York	
		Married	1	Apr	1798	(Note: Inherited father's home land)			
7.	Gray Wood (4 sons, no sons)	Birth	29	Mar	1775	Little Compton		Rhode Island	
		Death	17	Jan	1808	"		"	
		Married	15	Dec	1799	"		"	

For children of James and Phebe (Wood) Pearce, see Pearce family

Child of (Lt) George Wood and first wife, Comfort Taylor:

1	Comfort Wood	Birth	20	Aug	1755	Little Compton		Rhode Island	
	Spouse - Billings Grinnell (26 Apr 1744 - 11 July 1815)	Death	15	Nov	1832	"			
		Married	2	Mar	1775	"			

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Family No.

Pearce ⑤

Summers

Father -

James PEARCE

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth	15	Aug	1795	Little Compton	Newport	Rhode Island	1820 census Schoharie NY	
Death	22	July	1820	Sempromius	Cayuga	New York	Shaw's family with all 8 youngest children (Pg 34) (V.H. Sempronius)	
Buried	(Will 14 Mar 1820) (Book 1 p 114)							
Married	3	July	1793			Rhode Island	Cont. Probate NY Vol 1 - 1820 of PEARCE	
Occupation				Military		Church	Baptist?	
Places Lived								
Other Wives								

His Father's Name Giles Pearce

His Mother's Maiden Name Mercy Reese

Mother -

Phoebe WOOD

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth	23	May	1763	Little Compton	Newport	Rhode Island		
Death	25	June	1842	Sempromius	Cayuga	New York		
Buried								
Occupation				Military		Church	Baptist?	
Places Lived								
Other Husbands								

Her Father's Name George Wood

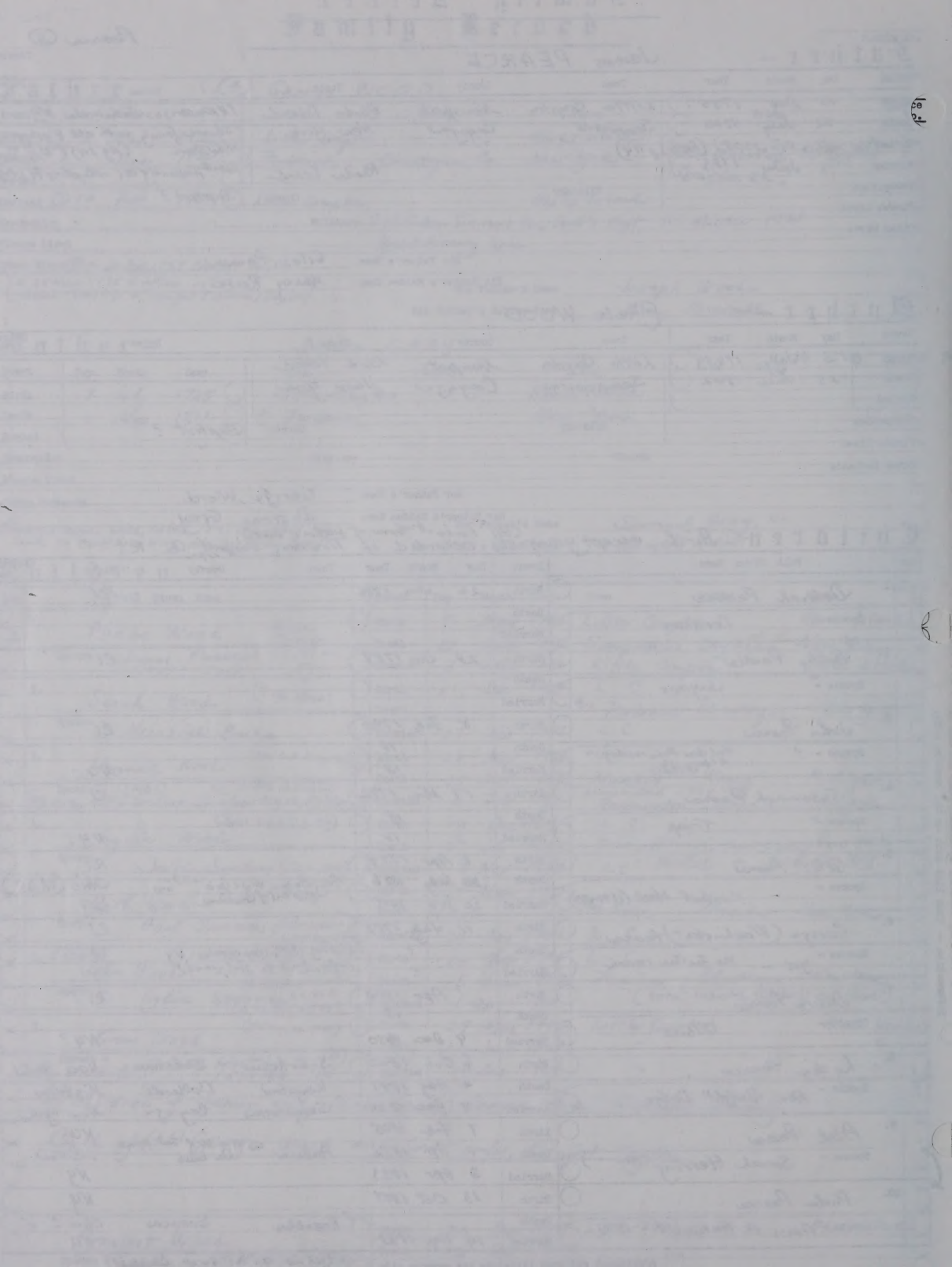
Her Mother's Maiden Name Desire Gray

Children Births, except youngest, recorded in Tiverton, Newport Co. RI

Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
1.	Deborah Pearce	Birth	26	Jan	1786			RI	
	Spouse - Dennison	Death							
		Married							
2.	Sally Pearce	Birth	28	Dec	1787			RI	
	Spouse - Jaynes	Death							
		Married							
3.	John Pearce	Birth	8	Feb	1790			RI	
	Spouse - ? Had dear Papa residing in Albany NY	Death			18				
		Married			18			NY?	
4.	Susannah Pearce	Birth	17	Mar	1792			RI	
	Spouse - Tripp	Death			18				
		Married			18			NY?	
5.	Giles Pearce	Birth	1	Apr	1784			RI	
	Spouse - Content Heel (1797-1871)	Death	30	July	1833	Per. Census & Scipio - 1830		Ohio (1858)	
		Married	20	Nov	1817	3rd dist. Seneca		NY	
6.	George (Washington?) Pearce	Birth	11	July	1797			RI	
	Spouse - yes - no further record	Death			?	(Living 1830 Sempromius NY - by 5-10, girl 10-15)		?	
		Married			?			?	
7.	Desire Pearce	Birth	1	Apr	1800			RI?	
	Spouse - Gilbert	Death			18				
		Married	9	Dec	1830			NY?	
8.	Lydia Pearce	Birth	6	Oct	1802	Schoharie, Schoharie	New York		
	Spouse - Rev. Dwight Dodge	Death	4	Aug	1881	Kingston	Columbia	Missouri	
		Married	9	Dec	1830	Sempromius	Cayuga	New York	
9.	Abel Pearce	Birth	7	Feb	1805			NY	
	Spouse - Sarah Herring (182-)	Death	1	Apr	1872	Auburn	as 14 mi N of Fair Haven	Indiana	
		Married	3	Apr	1833		De Kalb	NY	
10.	Phoebe Pearce	Birth	13	Oct	1807			NY	
	Spouse - Amos A. Heel (1806-1870)	Death			?	? Republic	Seneca	Ohio?	
		Married	14	Sep	1831			NY	

Additional children listed on the reverse side.

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He married MARY PEABODY, daughter of John Peabody of Portsmouth.
Residence: Newport.

In 1665 he was a freeman of Newport, and a deputy in 1673-4-5. In 1689 he and his wife Mary deeded to their son Thomas of LC two 50 acre lots with housing. According to the Wood Manuscript at the New England Genealogical Society, he may have been the father of Walter, Henry and William Wood of Newport.

Children:

- i. John, b. in 1664.
- ii. Thomas, b. in 1666.
- iii. Jonathan.

3. COL. THOMAS² WOOD (John¹), born in 1638, died in 1703/4, married REBECCA (--). Residence: Portsmouth and Swansea. He was a freeman of Portsmouth in 1658.

Children:

- i. Thomas, b. in 1664; m. in 1690 Hannah Rider.
- ii. Abigail, b. in 1666.
- iii. John, b. in 1668; m. Bethia Mason, daughter of Sampson and Mary (Butterworth) Mason.
- iv. William, b. in 1670; d. 18 March 1734/5; m. Susannah Beckwith.
- v. George, b. 30 July 1679; m. Rebecca Dagget. His father deeded him land in Swansea.
7. vi. Jonathan, b. 20 Nov. 1681.
- vii. Hannah, b. 18 Feb. 1685; probably m. 1 Nov. 1715 Peter Taylor. According to the author of the Wood Manuscript she was his second wife.
- viii. Margaret, b. 1 March 1687; m. 21 May 1715 in Swansea John Page.
- ix. Sarah, b. 1 March 1687; m. 17 June 1714 John Baker. Another record says that he married Susannah Wood.

4. WILLIAM² WOOD (John¹), born as early as 1640. He married MARTHA EARLE, daughter of Ralph and Joan Earle, died 3 Feb. 1696. Residence: Dartmouth.

Children:

8. i. William Jr., b. in 1652.
- ii. George, m. in LC 4 Dec. 1717 Ann Wilbore, daughter of Joseph and Ann (Brownell) Wilbore. Residence: Dartmouth.
- iii. Josiah, d. in 1711.
- iv. Daniel, m. (1) Elizabeth Ricketson; m. (2) Phebe Sherman.
- v. Joseph.
- vi. John, b. in 1664; m. Mary Church, daughter of Joseph and Mary (Tucker) Church.
- vii. Mary, m. Thomas Mallets of New York.
- viii. Sarah.
- ix. Margaret.
- x. Rebecca.

THE WOOD FAMILY

1. JOHN¹ WOOD, died in Portsmouth in 1655. Residence: Portsmouth.

He married first (?). He married second ELIZABETH (--), died about 1655.

He died without leaving a will. Consequently on 17 March 1655 the town council chose as appraisers of his estate John Coggeshall, Thomas Cornell Jr., James Babcock and William Hall. The council disposed of the estate as follows: "... To John Wood land in his present possession, he paying his sister, Margaret Manchester, 8 pounds. To Thomas Wood the land that was his father's in Newport, 40 acres near William Weeden's farm. To William Wood 10 acres where widow now lives. To widow rest of land in her possession to improve for life, she paying eldest son of deceased four pounds. To two youngest children Susannah and Elizabeth eight pounds each at age 16. William Wood to have all land in the widow's possession at her decease, she being his mother-in-law (i.e. stepmother). . ."

Children, as listed in Austin's Dictionary:

- i. George, untraced.
2. ii. John Wood Jr., b. in 1620.
3. iii. Thomas, b. in 1638.
4. iv. William, b. as early as 1640.
- v. Margaret, m. Thomas Manchester.
- vi. Susanna.
- vii. Elizabeth, m. in Swansea 5 Dec. 1677/8 Samuel Wheaton.

✓ 2. JOHN² WOOD JR. (John¹), born in 1620, died in LC in 1704.

John cannot have been son of both John² and his brother William. According to Wood Family Index -779- he was son of Brithing Wood from Leicestershire & came 1654!

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THE MOOD EVILLY

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5. LT. JOHN³ WOOD (John², John¹), born in 1664, probably in Newport, died in LC 22 Feb. 1740. Residence: LC.

He married about 1688 MARY CHURCH, daughter of Joseph and Mary (Tucker) Church, born about 1654, died in LC 11 Nov. 1748. Both are buried in the Old Commons cemetery.

On 6 April 1691 Joseph Church signed a marriage deed to John Wood. Their farm went from the West Road to the shore along Taylor's Lane and was one lot wide. It later became part of the farm of Isaac C. Wilbour.

Of their twelve children, one died in 1704 at age 11 months, and six died in March 1711/12, when there seems to have been an epidemic. Many people of LC died in that awful month. Another daughter died at age 29, in 1730.

Children, all recorded in LC:

- i. John, b. 16 July 1689; d. 13 March 1711/12.
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- iii. Sara, b. 6 Nov. 1692; d. 8 March 1711/12.
- iv. Deborah, b. 7 March 1694; d. 16 March 1711/12.
- v. Margaret, b. 20 April 1696; d. 9 March 1711/12.
- vi. Abigail, b. 26 Dec. 1697; d. 16 March 1711/12.
- vii. Elizabeth, b. 6 Nov. 1699; d. 10 March 1712.
- viii. Hannah, b. 7 Oct. 1701; d. 14 June 1730; m. in Bristol, R.I., 5 Jan. 1721 Jonathan Peck.
- ix. Rebecca, b. 4 Nov. 1703; d. 3 Oct. 1704.
- x. Joseph, b. 23 Dec. 1705.
- xi. Dorothy, b. 12 Dec. 1707; m. in LC 16 March 1727 Joseph Rogers.
- xii. Thomas.

6. THOMAS³ WOOD (John², John¹), born in 1666, died in LC 10 May 1729. He married CONTENT (--) . Residence: LC.

His will, recorded Taunton Probate, book 6, page 235, made 28 Aug. 1728 and proved 20 May 1729: "... To son Thomas all lands in LC with housing thereon, all livestock, carpenter's tools . . . powdering tubs. . . To son John 100 pounds. To daughters Elizabeth Phinney, Content Shaw and Rebecca Shaw 5 shillings. To daughter Deliverance Wood 20 pounds, great trunk and chest. To daughter Desire Wood 20 pounds, case of drawers and a cow. To granddaughter Content Sisson, 5 pounds. If son Thomas shall say so that John Wood my son shall have the south 50 acres and son William Wood the north 50 acres. . . "

Children, all recorded in LC:

- i. Elizabeth, b. 22 May 1692; m. (--) Phinney.
- ii. Content, b. 15 June 1694; m. William Shaw.
- iii. Rebecca, b. 17 April 1696; m. in LC 14 Aug. 1718 Anthony Shaw.
- iv. Thomas, b. 26 Jan. 1698; d. in LC 20 Aug. 1729. In his will, recorded Taunton Probate, book 6, page 291,

made 20 Aug. 1729 and proved 16 Sept. 1729, he left to his sister Rebecca and her husband Anthony Shaw 60 pounds of the bonds he held against them, to his sister Desire he left two cows, to his sister Deliverance all the brass he received from his father and two cows, and to his brother John the rest and residue.

10. v. William, b. 7 Feb. 1700.
- vi. Mary, b. 6 Feb. 1701/2; m. in LC 7 Feb. 1723 Jonathan Sisson.
- vii. Desire, b. 17 Aug. 1704; m. in LC 9 April 1732 John Irish.
11. viii. John, b. 16 April 1707.
- ix. Deliverance, b. 4 May 1711; m. in LC 2 June 1735 Henry Cuthbert.

7. JONATHAN³ WOOD (Thomas², John¹), born in Swansea 20 Nov. 1681, died in 1756 or 1759. Residence: LC.

He was married first in LC by Joseph Church, justice, 6 Jan. 1703 to ELIZABETH THURSTON, daughter of Jonathan and Sarah Thurston of Newport, born 29 Nov. 1682, died in LC 27 Aug. 1717. He was married second in LC 14 Aug. 1718 by Richard Billings, justice, to ANNA CARR, daughter of Ezek and Susannah Carr, born 28 Feb. 1696, died after 1744. He left no will.

Children, all recorded in LC:

- i. Rebecca, b. 26 Dec. 1704; m. in LC 28 March 1726 Joseph Simmons.
- ii. Bridgett, b. 22 June 1706; m. in LC 25 Dec. 1734 Peter Taylor.
- iii. Elizabeth, b. 31 Jan. 1708; m. 1 April 1731 in LC Joseph Davenport.
- iv. Ruth, b. 7 Aug. 1710; d. 13 Aug. 17--.
- v. Susannah, b. 21 July 1712.
- vi. Jonathan Jr., b. 5 July 1714; m. in Newport 4 June 1759 or 1769 Lydia Irish (?).
- vii. Mary, b. 9 Jan. 1716; m. in LC 10 Oct. 1743 John Pitman.
- viii. Margaret, b. 26 April 1719.
- ix. Ezek, b. 13 Nov. 1720; m. Sarah Tripp, daughter of Ichabod Tripp. Residence: Dartmouth.
- x. Job, b. 6 Dec. 1722; m. 16 Jan. 1752 Rest Gifford.
- xi. Sarah, b. 31 Jan. 1725; m. 30 Nov. 1757 Nathaniel Church.
- xii. Robert, b. 4 Oct. 1727; m. in 1757 Rachel Howland, widow.
- xiii. Martha, b. 1 Dec. 1729; m. in 1754 Timothy Cornell.
- xiv. Hannah, m. in 1758 Joseph Allen Jr.

8. WILLIAM³ WOOD (William², John¹), born in 1652. He married ANN CLARKE, daughter of Latham and Hannah (Wilbore) Clarke.

Children:

- i. Mary, d. in 1706.
- ii. Rachel, b. in April 1691.
- iii. William, b. in April 1691; m. (1) Elizabeth (--) ; m. (2) Keziah (--).
- iv. Hannah, b. in 1693; m. Nicholas Davis.

- v. Isaac, m. Mary Potter.
- vi. Jonathan, m. Peace Davis.
- vii. Abigail.
- viii. Jedediah, m. Keziah Simmons.
- ix. Meribah, m. (1) Moses Sherman; m. (2) John Rone (?).
- x. Ruth, m. Abraham Stafford.
- xi. Mary 2d, b. 7 March 1712.

✓ 9. JOSEPH⁴ WOOD ESQ. (John¹, John², John¹), born in LC 23 Dec. 1705, died there 22 Jan. 1767. Residence: LC.

He was married in LC 31 Aug. 1727 by Richard Billings, justice, to MARY BROWNELL, daughter of George and Mary (Thurston) Brownell, born in LC 9 Nov. 1709, died there 6 Oct. 1791. Both are buried in the Old Commons cemetery.

They lived on the west end of the 31st 100 acre lot of the great lots, next north of Peter Taylor. This place was later owned by Ripley Roaps about 1890 and is west of Main Road, near Taylor's Lane.

His will, recorded book 2, page 88, made 16 Jan. 1767 and proved 3 Feb. 1767: "... To wife Mary 1/3 of all household goods, improvement of all buildings on my farm. To son John four 11 acre lots on the highway that goes by William Taylor's to the sea. To son George west end of 100 acre lot that I now live on from the highway that crosses said lot to ye sea west and use of 1 of buildings for seven years, he to have west end. To son Isaac east end of 100 acre lot that I now live on from the highway that now crosses it with all buildings when my wife ceases to be my widow. To daughters Hannah Church and Sarah Church, 30 dollars each. To daughters Deborah Wood, Ruth Brownell and Mary Wood, sixty dollars each. To three daughters, Ruth, Mary and Deborah two thirds of household goods..."

In her will, recorded LC Probate book 3, page 219, made 15 Nov. 1783 and proved 6 Dec. 1791, his widow left to her son John her Great Bible, to her son George her loom and all articles belonging to it, to daughter Ruth a case of drawers, to daughter Mary a gold necklace, to two daughters Hannah Church and Sarah Church two silver dollars each, to son Isaac her desk and mare, and the rest and residue to her four daughters.

Children:

- 12. i. John, b. 22 Dec. 1728.
- ✓ 13. ii. George, b. 2 Nov. 1730.
- iii. Paul, b. 19 Jan. 1733; d. 31 March 1734.
- iv. Hannah, b. 22 Dec. 1734; d. 3 Feb. 1815; m. in LC 7 March 1754 Ebenezer Church.
- v. Sarah, b. 18 July 1737; d. 30 Dec. 1819; m. in LC 30 Nov. 1757 Nathaniel Church.
- vi. Deborah, b. 30 Nov. 1739; d. in January 1784. According to her gravestone, she died 25 July 1782. However, her will was made 15 July 1783 and proved 3 Feb. 1784. As recorded book 3, page 71, it reads "... To sister Hannah Church my best gown. To sister Susannah Wood my gold necklace. To brother Isaac Wood my bed and he not to take it until my mother's decease. To cousin Phebe Pierce,

daughter of my brother George Wood, my chest. To sisters Hannah Church, Sarah Church, Marcy Simmons and Deborah Brownell, ye daughter of my sister Ruth Brownell, the rest of my wearing apparel. Rest and residue to brother Isaac Wood and he to be sole executor..."

- vii. Paul 2d, b. 5 Sept. 1741; d. 6 Oct. 1764.
- viii. Ruth, b. 25 Sept. 1743; m. (--) Cook or Brownell.
- ix. Mary, b. 26 Dec. 1745; d. young.
- x. Mary 2d, b. 31 Jan. 1748; m. 21 Dec. 1777 in LC Nathaniel Simmons, son of Isaac and Mary Simmons.
- 14. xi. Isaac, b. 16 June 1752.
- xii. Rebecca, d. ae 11.

10. WILLIAM⁴ WOOD (Thomas³, John², John¹), born 7 Feb. 1700. Residence: Dartmouth.

He was married in LC 16 July 1794 by Richard Billings, justice, to HANNAH SHAW, daughter of Israel and Ruth (?) (Tallman) Shaw, born in LC 7 March 1699. He married second 22 June 1737 PATIENCE (ELLIS) WING, widow.

Children by first wife, recorded in LC:

- i. Zilpha, b. 4 Aug. 1720.
- ii. Walter, b. 4 Feb. 1721; d. 14 Feb. 1726.
- iii. Antrace, b. 14 Sept. 1723; m. in 1741 Abraham Wing. Residence: Oblong, N.Y.
- iv. Content, b. 10 Jan. 1726; m. Edward Wing. Residence: Nine Partners, N.Y.
- v. Drucilla, b. 9 May 1729; m. Israel Howland, son of John and Mary (Cook) Howland, b. 13 June 1713.
- 15. vi. Zerviah, b. 8 Jan. 1731.
- vii. Hannah, b. 20 Feb. 1733; m. (intention 19 Nov. 1758) in Rochester, Mass., Caleb Mendol.

Children by second wife:

- viii. Rebecca, b. 6 Sept. 1737; d. 6 Sept. 1777; m. (intention 4 Nov. 1754) Sabathiel Eldridge.
- ix. John, b. 9 July 1742; d. before 1778; m. Sarah Russell.

11. JOHN⁴ WOOD (Thomas³, John², John¹), born in LC 16 April 1707. He was married first in LC 7 May 1730 by Thomas Church, justice, to MARY BURGESS, daughter of Thomas and Martha (Wilbor) Burgess, born in LC 18 Sept. 1712. He was married second in LC 7 Feb. 1745 by Justice Church to SARAH HUDDLESTONE, died in LC 10 Dec. 1747. He married third JARUSHA (--).

He was a saddler. They lived on the farm owned in 1890 by Philip Chase and George Seabury, on East of Main Road, south of Swamp Corner.

His will, recorded LC Probate, book 3, page 180: "... To wife Jarusha one cow, two small meat tubs, loom, side saddle and pillion. To son Constant all my homestead farm with all buildings thereon. To son Thomas six shillings. To son Jonathan land at Dartmouth I bought of John Hunt adjoining Coaksett River and 50 dollars. To four daughters, Martha Taylor, Abigail Irish, Mary Peckham and Avis Peckham, 16 silver dollars. Rest and residue to son Constant and he to be executor..."

Children, recorded in LC:

- i. Martha, b. 28 Feb. 1731; m. in LC 19 Feb. 1751 Humphrey Taylor, son of John and Joanna (Wilbor) Taylor.
- ii. Abigail, b. 10 Nov. 1732; m. in LC 18 Oct. 1751 Charles Irish, son of John and Thankful (Wilbore) Irish.
- iii. Comfort, b. 13 Oct. 1734.
- iv. Thomas, b. 12 April 1736.
17. v. Constant, b. 4 July 1737.
- vi. Mary, b. 1 Feb. 1739; m. about 1760 John Peckham, son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Wilbor) Peckham.
- vii. Avis, b. 21 Aug. 1740; m. Samuel Peckham.
- viii. Jonathan, b. 29 Nov. 1747.
- ix. Joseph.

12. JOHN⁵ WOOD (Joseph⁴, John³, John², John¹), born 22 Dec. 1728. Residence: LC.

He was married in LC 27 Nov. 1747 by William Hall, justice, to EUNICE SHAW, daughter of Israel and Abigail (Palmer) Shaw, born in LC 7 Oct. 1728, died there 13 Feb. 1810.

They lived on, and owned, the farm which belonged to his father, Joseph Wood, and his grandfather, John Wood. It later became part of the Isaac Wilbore farm and bordered on Taylor's Lane.

Children, recorded in LC:

18. i. Joseph, b. 18 May 1753.
- ii. Abigail, b. 25 Sept. 1757; m. in LC 26 Sept. 1779 Joseph Wilbore, son of William and Hannah (Wilbor) Wilbore.
19. iii. Benjamin, b. in LC 19 June 1760.
- iv. Meribah, b. 14 Oct. 1762.
- v. Sarah, b. 6 May 1768.
- vi. Eunice, b. 19 Oct. 1770; m. Daniel Howland Jr.
- vii. Thirza, b. 8 March 1779.

✓ 13. GEORGE⁵ WOOD (Joseph⁴, John³, John², John¹), born in LC 2 Nov. 1730, died there in June 1820.

He was married first in LC 30 Dec. 1753 by Joseph Wood, justice, to COMFORT TAYLOR, daughter of Philip and Comfort (Dennis) Taylor, born in LC 28 May 1735. He was married second in LC 10 Feb. 1762 by the Rev. Jonathan Ellis to DESIRE GRAY, daughter of Samuel and Hannah (Kent) Gray, born in LC 7 July 1735, died there in March 1822. ✓

They lived in LC on the place that later belonged to Ripley Roaps on the Main Road, at the west of the road, opposite the Frank Simmons place of 1890.

His will, recorded LC Wills, book 5, page 188, made 13 Dec. 1815 and proved 10 July 1820: "... To wife Desire all household furniture. To daughters Comfort Grinnell, Phebe Pearce, Sarah Barker and Hannah Durfee, four dollars each. To daughter Lydia Seabury 20 dollars. To children of daughter Ruth Simmons, deceased, 7 dollars. To four grandchildren, daughters of my son Gray, deceased, three dollars each. To son John all my real and personal estate and he to be my executor. ..."

Children by first wife, recorded in LC:

- i. Comfort, b. 20 Aug. 1755; m. 2 March 1775 Billings Grinnell.

Children by second wife:

- ✓ ii. Phebe, b. 9 May 1763; m. in LC 3 July 1783 James Pierce.
- iii. Sarah, b. 30/1 Dec. 1764; m. in LC 27 Nov. 1783 Hezekiah Barker.
- iv. Hannah, b. 21 Nov. 1766; m. in LC 6 Feb. 1791 Gideon Durfee.
- v. Lydia, b. 12 Dec. 1768; m. 7 Nov. 1790 in LC David Seabury.
- vi. Ruth, b. 20 March 1771; m. in LC 29 Aug. 1791 Abel Simmons, son of Aaron and Abigail Simmons.
- vii. John, b. 14 Feb. 1773.
- * 20. viii. Gray, b. 29 March 1775.

14. ISAAC⁵ WOOD (Joseph⁴, John³, John², John¹), born in LC 16 June 1752.

He was married in LC 21 April 1774 by the Rev. Jonathan Ellis to SUSANNA TAYLOR, daughter of William and Deborah (Gray) Taylor, born in LC 20 Dec. 1754.

They lived in LC on the east of the Main Road, district number 2, on the place owned in 1890 by Frank W. Simmonds.

Children, recorded in LC:

- i. Comfort, b. 1 May 1775.
- ii. Mary, b. 2 March 1778.
- iii. Simeon, b. 10 July 1781.
- iv. Deborah, b. 4 Dec. 1785.
- v. Susanna, b. 4 Jan. (or July) 1788.
- vi. Marietta, b. 30 Jan. 1791.

15. ZERVIAH⁵ WOOD (William⁴, Thomas³, John², John¹), born in LC 8 Jan. 1731. He married there 5 Aug. 1750 RHODA ELDREDGE. Residence: LC.

Children, recorded in LC:

- i. Pearce, b. 7 Dec. 1751.
- ii. Hannah, b. 4 May 1752; m. William Severance.
- iii. Restcome, b. in May 1766.
- iv. Isaiah.
- v. Content, m. 5 June 1775 Amos Kelly.
- vi. William, m. (intention 23 Oct. 1779) Mary Foster.
- vii. Elihue, m. Lydia Cushman.
- viii. Zerviah Jr., b. in Dartmouth 21 March 1772; d. in LC 30 April 1862; m. in July 1798 Eunice Howland, b. 21 Sept. 1776, d. 14 Oct. 1845.

16. THOMAS⁵ WOOD (John⁴, Thomas³, John², John¹), born in LC 12 April 1736. He was married there 15 May 1758 by the Rev. Jonathan Ellis to LYDIA KIRBY. Residence: LC.

Children, recorded in LC:

- i. Lois, b. 6 June 1761.
- ii. John, b. 22 June 1762.

20. Gray Wood (not cited here) was ⁻⁷⁸⁵⁻ only son left in Little Compton, and inherited land there accordingly. Probably were some sons who family migrated to in New York, etc.

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- vi. Abigail, b. 26 Dec. 1697; d. 16 March 1711/12.
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Children, all recorded in LC:

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- iii. Rebecca, b. 17 April 1696; m. in LC 14 Aug. 1718 Anthony Shaw.
- iv. Thomas, b. 26 Jan. 1698; d. in LC 20 Aug. 1729. In his will, recorded Taunton Probate, book 6, page 291,

made 20 Aug. 1729 and proved 16 Sept. 1729, he left to his sister Rebecca and her husband Anthony Shaw 60 pounds of the bonds he held against them, to his sister Desire he left two cows, to his sister Deliverance all the brass he received from his father and two cows, and to his brother John the rest and residue.

10. v. William, b. 7 Feb. 1700.
- vi. Mary, b. 6 Feb. 1701/2; m. in LC 7 Feb. 1723 Jonathan Sisson.
- vii. Desire, b. 17 Aug. 1704; m. in LC 9 April 1732 John Irish.
- viii. John, b. 16 April 1707.
- ix. Deliverance, b. 4 May 1711; m. in LC 2 June 1735 Henry Cuthbert.

7. JONATHAN³ WOOD (Thomas², John¹), born in Swansea 20 Nov. 1681, died in 1756 or 1759. Residence: LC.

He was married first in LC by Joseph Church, justice, 6 Jan. 1703 to ELIZABETH THURSTON, daughter of Jonathan and Sarah Thurston of Newport, born 29 Nov. 1682, died in LC 27 Aug. 1717. He was married second in LC 14 Aug. 1718 by Richard Billings, justice, to ANNA CARR, daughter of Ezek and Susannah Carr, born 28 Feb. 1696, died after 1744. He left no will.

Children, all recorded in LC:

- i. Rebecca, b. 26 Dec. 1704; m. in LC 28 March 1726 Joseph Simmons.
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- iii. Elizabeth, b. 31 Jan. 1708; m. 1 April 1731 in LC Joseph Davenport.
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- v. Susannah, b. 21 July 1712.
- vi. Jonathan Jr., b. 5 July 1714; m. in Newport 4 June 1759 or 1769 Lydia Irish (?).
- vii. Mary, b. 9 Jan. 1716; m. in LC 10 Oct. 1743 John Pitman.
- viii. Margaret, b. 26 April 1719.
- ix. Ezek, b. 13 Nov. 1720; m. Sarah Tripp, daughter of Ichabod Tripp. Residence: Dartmouth.
- x. Job, b. 6 Dec. 1722; m. 16 Jan. 1752 Rest Gifford.
- xi. Sarah, b. 31 Jan. 1725; m. 30 Nov. 1757 Nathaniel Church.
- xii. Robert, b. 4 Oct. 1727; m. in 1757 Rachel Howland, widow.
- xiii. Martha, b. 1 Dec. 1729; m. in 1754 Timothy Cornell.
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8. WILLIAM³ WOOD (William², John¹), born in 1652. He married ANN CLARKE, daughter of Latham and Hannah (Wilbore) Clarke.

Children:

- i. Mary, d. in 1706.
- ii. Rachel, b. in April 1691.
- iii. William, b. in April 1691; m. (1) Elizabeth (--) ; m. (2) Keziah (--).
- iv. Hannah, b. in 1693; m. Nicholas Davis.

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WOOD FAMILY

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Generation 2. A speculative list of possible children of John, Jr. and Mary Peabody Wood names William, Peleg, Jonathan, and Margaret. With no documentation whatsoever, it should be taken with a grain of salt. There were many William Woods, who can say? It would be natural for them to name a child for her aunt Margaret. There don't seem to be any Peleg Woods in the literature. B.F. Wilbour also included Jonathan--but it later turned out that man was a nephew. A manuscript in the New England Genealogical Society is said to add Walter and Henry. I can find no trace of any Walter Wood; but Dr. Ewers has since proved Henry really was a son. (See "The American Genealogist" Vol. 50, p. 142-4, 1974.) My personal feeling is that probably this couple did have more children than just John III, Thomas, and Henry, but records to prove it are lacking.

It also seems as though John, Jr., who was quite a bit older than Mary, probably had an earlier wife--maybe married in England as some suggest, but there is no proof of that, or of older children. Early speculation that he was the John Wood, later of Rhode Island, who had a wife Anne on Long Island, has been disproved.

Dorothy Wood Ewers calls John, Jr., a mariner as late as 1649. The following items are selected from her log: 1648 autumn: Ship "Peregrine" failed to call at Boston for wheat--a protest made against Mr. Hugh Wood, Mr. Richard Bodilowe merchants of London and Mr. John Wood Agent or ffactor for them. 8 Dec 1648. "I attested a Copie of a Bill of Major ED: Gibbons to ffirs: Norton of 85¹¹ and a Receipt of goods from ffra: Norton to value of 97.5.6 aboard the Peregrine by Mr. John Wood."

May 1655. Portsmouth Town Council ruled as to distribution of John Sr's estate. John Jr. got land that was in his possession in Newport, a 50-acre homestead, and was to pay his Sister Manchester. (This seems to be when he settled in Newport, if not before his father was sick or died.) 1655. John Wood, Jr., listed as one of 95 Freemen of Newport. Jan 1661. His land mentioned re highway to be laid out in Newport. Sep 1661. Land being bought up in Westerly. John buys lot #67 but "possibly sold or exchanged it--his name not on later lists." Thomas Manchester and John "Peperdy" also buy.

11 Mar 1662. Served on Grand Jury at Newport. Apr. 1662. In Taunton MA, gives deposition re deathbed request of Thomas Billington. Gives age as 42. Isaac Hall age 24 also deposed. Jun 1662. John Wood and Henry Wood were names on list of men who might be interested in what became Taunton North Purchase. May 1663. John Wood and others fined for absence from jury service at Newport. (Men with other pressing business often just paid the fine, and it helped the town treasury.)

A little history regarding the Atherton Company's effort to take over part of all of Rhode Island appears on other pages. I think all of us Wood descendants will be proud to see that John Wood, Jr., dared to stand up for his community and for what he believed was right, even though it involved being imprisoned by land speculating CT/MA Bay Puritans--still smarting over Roger Williams' coup.

Generation 2, Cont'd Back to Dr. Ewers' notes:

1662, 1663, etc. Involved in dispute between Rhode Island and Connecticut over boundaries...because of purchase of land by the Atherton Company. (She says Bertha W. Clark said for story of this see the Fones book on early R.I. Lands. I haven't seen it yet.) 10 Dec 1663. Prisoner, with others, of the Court. 1 Mar 1664. John Woods petition to be read in Court--consideration waived until next General Assembly. 5 May 1665. The group concerned in the boundary fight to be heard by the Court "Satterday morning."

"Several undated entries follow the one above. In one the members of the group are to choose whether they will give bond for their appearance in Court or go to prison. And 'The Court have determined that nothing will be made knowne vnto them concerning what they are accused of vntill they have declared themselves, which of the proposalls that are presented to them they will take.'" !!!!!

John Wood of Newport gave a bond of £200; sureties John Peperdy (John's father-in-law) and Edward Robinson (neighbor whose land bordered John's) £00 each. 1665 October Court session John Wood and his sureties and John Hickes and his sureties are released from their bonds. The feud was for the time being over. When it was revived, John Wood had no part in it.

24 Oct 1666. Served on petit jury at Newport--so did John Peabody. 6 May 1667. Ditto. 1667. A "company of purchasers" organized to buy land of Indians and establish a settlement in New Jersey at what became Monmouth. John Wood was a purchaser. 18 May 1669. On petit jury at Newport. 23 Feb 1671. Sold his land in New Jersey to Gyles Slocum. (PS--Gyles Slocum Sr. did have a son Peleg. Slocum was a Newport man.) 7 June 1671. Nominated for jury service at Newport. 6 May 1673. Nominated as one of Newport's Deputies to the General Assembly. 19 Feb 1674. One of 3 witnesses to sale of house and land.

May 1674. Again chosen Deputy. (Modern-day equivalent to State Representative.) 4 May 1675. Again named as deputy. 1675. Treasurers Book pg 58 shows: "John Woods acct pd 14/4." 25 Dec 1677. Purchased Lot 13 and other land in Little Compton..Great Lot #31 which came into possession of son John III who married Mary Church, Lot #13 coming into possession of son Henry, who resided in LC. 1678. Taxed £1. 1680. Taxed 13s 10d. 1680. Paid by the treasurer for 86 lbs. of pork. 1 Aug 1683. William Paybody (no relation) of LC sold him Lot #11 in first division of house lots there.

22 June 1687. Drew lot 4 in division of the estate of John Peabody, Mary's father. 26 Feb. 1690. Again chosen Deputy. 6 May 1690. Again elected a Deputy. 14 Nov. 1695. John and mary deed unto son Thomas of Little Compton two 50-acre lots there, described... 8 June 1699. John and Mary acknowledged, again, this to be their Act and Deed. 5 Jan 1702. Received 18½ acres, in two parcels, in a Newport land division.

The author with similar versions over the years. He does not confuse the family with Long Island author Wood families or He follows our John Jr's brother Thomas.

John offers to - Probably as clear as air - can get.

"Ancestral Lines"

by Carl Ayer

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John¹ Wood, below, was not the John Wood of Lynn, Massachusetts Bay, as that man was still in Lynn 7 Sept. 1643. John Wood of Plymouth remained in that town until he died in 1695, having married Sarah Masterson there. The John Wood who came to New England with the Hull congregation in 1633 was only 20 at the time, and John Wood who emigrated on the *Hopewell* was only 26 in 1635.

Appreciation is due to Rhoda English Ladd of R.D. 3, Box 245, Wellsboro, PA 16901, for her extensive correspondence in 1987. Not all of the questions she raised about conflicting data have been fully resolved in the following presentation.

1. JOHN¹ WOOD, who may have been from Gloucestershire, England, was born some years before 1600, and died intestate [*R.I. Land Evidences*, 85] probably in Portsmouth, Rhode Island, before 7 May 1655.

It is possible that he was the John Wood, unidentified otherwise, who married at St. Saviour's, Southwark, London, 28 Jan. 1610/1, Margaret Carter. It is certain that John Wood of Portsmouth did have a first wife named Margaret, and it may be significant that Francis Kirby described John Wood as "my Cousen James Downings acquaintance" in a letter to the Governors Winthrop, Sr. and Jr. James Downing was a son of Emanuel and Anne (Ware) Downing and stepson of Lucy¹ (Winthrop) Downing, Emanuel's second wife who was also the sister of Governor John¹ Winthrop of Massachusetts Bay as well as aunt of Governor John² Winthrop, Jr., of Connecticut. Furthermore, Francis Kirby was the second husband of Susanna (Downing) Carter, sister of Emanuel Downing and widow of a man named Carter, who might have been related to Margaret Carter.

Nonetheless, the Wood-Carter connection remains one of conjecture. It is known that John Wood's last wife, Elizabeth, was executrix of his estate, valued at £130, and Clark stated, without proof, that she later married Hugh Parsons (*q.v.*) [Clark, 11-12].

On the issue of John Wood's wives Mrs. Clark has confused the compiler somewhat. In one place it has been suggested that his surviving widow, Elizabeth, married next Hugh Parsons. Elsewhere it was stated that his second wife was Elizabeth but his widow was not named. Elizabeth may have been the widow of John Smith, Jr., of Taunton, Stamford and Maspeth, but if she was she was not John Smith, Jr.'s first wife. Perhaps her children, by John Smith, namely Elizabeth, born 1633, Samuel, born 1636, and Morris, were raised in John Wood's household but then returned to Long Island to take possession of their inheritances. At any rate, Mrs. Clark in the paragraph following these points again said that the widow Elizabeth married Hugh Parsons. It is known conclusively that, in their works, Austin, Doty and D.H. Carpenter incorrectly interpreted the will of Hugh Parsons, written in 1684, and identified his wife mistakenly as Elizabeth England.

Bertha W. Clark believed that John Wood may have been from Gloucester but was later a mariner from London, sometimes a ship's mate and sometimes master and part owner of ships, a buyer and seller of goods, lands and mortgages. This would account for his being able to bring a large, mature family to the colonies.

Clark quoted [pp. 2-3] a letter written by John² Winthrop, to his father in Boston, the letter having been written from Saybrook, "Quineticut May 16: 1636 Sir, John Wood being returned without any Corne I shall now desire that I may be supplied by the first shipping that arrive with any store or provisions with 10, or 13 hogsh[eads] of meale 5 or 6 hogsh[eads] of peas 2 or 3 barrells of oatmeale 2 hogsh[eads] of beife. For if we should want I see noe meanes to be supplied heere, and a little want may overthrow all our designe.

I sent home the *Bachelor* [italics added], and desire your helpe for her disposing. I must of necessity have her returne here for I may shortly have much use of her: but I desire they may goe for shares and victuall them selves, which John Wood, and his company are willing to doe. I cannot find that the miscarriage of his voyage was through his default but Contrary winds therefore I am desirous he should and that Company goe still in her, so they will goe for shares and victuall themselves. The *Blessing* I would sell if any will buy her at 160 or 150 li. she Cost 145 besides some new saile, and rigging and a new Cable above 20 li. the Cable is speciall good, except you should foresee any occasion that she should rather be kept still; or if their be impliment to Sable for her; but if she continues still to goe upon any designe I desire she goe likewise for her share the men to find themselves, otherwise I would have her laid up at Boston till further ocaation. the men I desire should be discharged at soone as ever they Come ashore, and their wages be paid them: I thanke you for the bread you sent. you write of 800 but there is not above 300 and an halfe at most delivered, besides 100 they keepe still aboard the rest I cannot learne what be[c]ome of it but that it hath been wastfully spent: they had besides halfe an hoghead of bread of their owne which was likewise spent and they were but [mutilated] eleven persons they say most of that tyme. [mutilated] for they pillaged her the tyme they had her to Salem pittifully that she hath neyther blockes nor braces nor running ropes, which the Belt Will sayth that mr. Holgrave outt [cutt?] them of he saw him. therefore I have agreed with John Wood Fredericke and George to take her to thirds. thus with my duty remembered I rest your obedient Son

John Winthrop

As it is known that George was John Wood's son, Mrs. Clark has assumed that "Fredericke" was too, although no other record of him has been found.

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In March 1640 John or Johannes Wodt or Wood leased Thomas Bescher's tobacco farm at Gowanus in western Long Island, in or near present Brooklyn, New York. No doubt he did not work the farm himself, but hired an overseer or left a son to run it, with black and Indian slave labor having been used to work the fields in the usual fashion of the time. By 1 August 1641 he had acquired title to the farm from Nanne Beets, the widow of Thomas Bescher, she having entered into a marriage contract with Thomas Smith. Here the location of the

farm was described as being on Long Island as the Bay of the North River. In any event, that 1 August he sold the farm to Ambrose Lounen.

Meanwhile, he was first on record as of Portsmouth, Rhode Island, on 1 March 1640 when he purchased land near the Newport town line from Nicholas Brown, the latter having been in Portsmouth in 1639 while a Nicholas Brown who had dealings with John Wood of Lynn was still in Lynn 7 Sept. 1643.

An undated record located in the State Archive at Providence mentioned the purchase of fifty acres from Robert Jeffreys, to which was added two grants from the town of Newport totaling eight acres. This homestead farm was located "at the Hermitage alias Middletown bounded on the eastern end by land off Mr Sanfords on the northern side by Edward Robinson on the western end by the hieway" and on "the southern side by the land granted to John Vaughan."

On 7 June 1643 he had to defend an [ac]cus[ation] of John Richman agst John Wood of the same town [Nuport] in an [ac]cus[ation] of Trespass" and also an "ac of Trespass by David Greenman agst John Wood of the same Towne." It appears that by late 1643 he went to settle with Richard Smith at Mespeth, Long Island, about ten miles from Cowanus, in a settlement organized by the Reverend Francis Doughty of Taunton, Plymouth Colony. Perhaps as a result of great losses in the Mespeth massacre, in which his wife Margaret may have died, he was allowed relief on 7 March 1643/4: "The debt of John Wood of twenty Pounds is respited for two years in regard of his great losse" [Mass. Bay records; Clark has assumed this did not refer to John Wood of Lynn or another man].

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In 1646 he was sued by William Withington, but the court found "for the defendant costs." Soon after he was granted forty acres near "William Weedens farm" in Newport, but on 10 July 1648 he was listed as a freeman of Portsmouth, together with his son-in-law Samuel Jenney, who had bought land from Thomas Hazard. On 26 and 27 May 1649 he was one of twelve jurymen who served at the "Court of Tryals" at Warwick, having been chosen in 1648 to a committee for trial of general officers. On 1 March 1649/50 he was recorded as of Portsmouth when he bought forty acres in town near the Newport line [Moriarty, *TAG*, 20:119]. The deed was witnessed by Philip, Heber and Sara Shearman.

In 1650 he wrote to Elizabeth Winthrop as follows:

April ye 6th, 1650

To Mrs. Elizabeth Winthrop att Boston in New England p a friend C.D.G.—Wellcome. I salute ye kindly, + am glad to heere of your happiness. I could have wished your tobaccoke had proved to better acco[un]t We came to miserable law price for it, + after I had carryed it all the Straits over + the longer the worse, I kept it. I am almost ashamed to give yo acco^d of it. However it hath produced these small things yo advised me to buy for yo: to say, six rush leather chairs, some shoves But you must excuse me. I have been badlye dealt with about them. I spoke for them, + he putt me of till last, + now they proms not to my mind nor to yours neither, wch in worst of all. I intended one paire

for your selfe + one paire for your mother + one paire for your grandmother, + one paire for your brother Tho., + one paire for sister Mary; but in regard they prove so contrary to my expectation I shall reffer them all to your disposall, as al soe some other things included in a invoyce inclosed herein. I desire to be remembered to your good husband + respectfullye remaine

Yours att comand to serve yo,

Jno Wood

While it has been said that John Wood died on 1 March 1654/5, no evidence of this has been found. C. Andrews Moriarty found a scrap of paper in the office of the town clerk of Portsmouth which reads: "April 1655 Being requested by the widow of John Woode of Portsmouth and the sd Woode children, John Woods, Thomas and William, to take an inventory of his goods, the sons before named choose their mother, the late wife of their father John Wood, as administratrix. She hath given unto his daughter Manchester a 'ewe gotte' and to his son-in-law Samuell Jennings [Jenney] a ewe kid. John is to have land in his possession. Thomas is to have the 40 acres next Robert Spinkes land. William is to have the lands and house. John, Thomas, and William are each to give their sister Manchester a 'ewe goote'."

Ultimately, "Mr John Coggeshall Thomas Cornell Junior Jeames Badcock and William Hall [were appointed] to prise" the real estate of John Wood, and Thomas Cornell, Sr., John Roome, Jeames Badcock, Obadiah Holme, John Gould and Edward Thurston made the inventory. William Baulstone, head officer of the town, and Richard Borden, John Roome, John Briggs and Philip Sherman as members of the Council decided the distribution of the estate.

Children, by first wife, born in England:

- i. Fredericke², possible son, mentioned by John Winthrop, Jr., on 16 May 1636.
- ii. George, of Portsmouth in 1655; m. (2) Ann, who m. (2) Henry Rogers.
- iii. John, b. c. 1620 (aged 42 in 1662); d. Newport, R.I., 26 August 1704, aged 84; m. (1) in England, m. (2) Anna, m. (3) Dover, c. 1663, Mary² Peabody, who d. 24 Jan. 1719, aged 78, dau. of John¹ [Taylor, *TAG*, 13:56; Ewers, *NEHGR*, 117:96-98; Ewers, *TAG*, 50:142-145; Clark, 23]; he was a London mariner and factor as late as Jan. 1648/9, and was in Portsmouth by Jan. 1649/50.
2. iv. Thomas, d. 1704; m. (3) Rebecca.
- v. William, d. before 4 Jan. 1696/7 [d. 3 Feb. 1696, according to Wilbour's *Little Compton Families*]; m. (2) Martha² Earle; lived Portsmouth and Dartmouth, Mass. [Hodges, *NEHGR*, 60:400]; Jane the wife of William Wood was ordered to appear in court 20 Aug. 1644 in Plymouth Colony [Wakefield, *TAG*, 71:146].
- * vi. Margaret, d. 1693?; m. c. 1650 Thomas² Manchester.
- vii. daughter, d. 23 March 1654/5; m. Samuel Jenney.

Children, by second wife, born in America:

- viii. Susanna, aged under 16 in 1655; d. 1684; m. (1) Josiah England, m. (2) North Riding, Yorkshire [on Long Island], 3 Dec. 1677, Ephraim Carpenter.

ix. Elizabeth, m. Isaac² Doty.

2. Col. THOMAS² WOOD, perhaps born about 1638 [Wilbour's *Little Compton Families*, 779], died in Swansea, Massachusetts, before 4 April 1704.

Apparently he married three times, but only his last wife, Rebekah, was named, the record being a deed dated 7 May 1680. Mrs. Clark believed that circumstances indicated she may have been Rebecca Hall, daughter of William Hall of Portsmouth, who mentioned his daughter, Rebecca, then single, in his will of 1673. Thomas and William Hall had been very close; Thomas would have been about thirty years senior to Rebecca, and about 65 to 67 years old when his youngest child was born.

He first appeared in American records at the time of his father's death. On 1 Jan. 1657 he sold the forty acres near the farm of William Weeden in Newport, Rhode Island, to Richard Tew [Austin]. He was listed as freeman in Portsmouth in 1658.

In 1680 he was taxed 3/-. On the 7th of May that year he and his wife Rebecca "of Swanzy" sold twelve acres in the town of Portsmouth to Benjamin Hall for £24. Apparently the move to Swansea had taken place about 1678, at the time of his marriage to Rebecca.

He had been received as an inhabitant of Portsmouth 4 Oct. 1656, and was named as a freeman 18 May 1658 by the General Court meeting at Warwick, but was absent from the Portsmouth records from 14 May 1659 to 20 May 1667. Perhaps he was in the Swansea section of the town of Rehoboth during that time. On 9 April 1675 he did grand jury duty in Portsmouth, and in 1677 he was granted land in Narragansett Country due to his service during King Philip's War.

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Appreciation is due to Rhoda English Ladd of R.D. 3, Box 245, Wellsboro, PA 16901, for her extensive correspondence in 1987. Not all of the questions she raised about conflicting data have been fully resolved in the following presentation.

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Bertha W. Clark believed that John Wood may have been from Gloucester but was later a mariner from London, sometimes a ship's mate and sometimes master and part owner of ships, a buyer and seller of goods, lands and mortgages. This would account for his being able to bring a large, mature family to the colonies.

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I sent home the *Bachelor* [italics added], and desire your helpe for her disposing. I must of necessity have her returne here for I may shortly have much use of her: but I desire they may goe for shares and victuall them selves, which John Wood, and his company are willing to doe. I cannot find that the miscarriage of his voyage was through his default but Contrary winds therefore I am desirous he should and that Company goe still in her, so they will goe for shares and victuall themselves. The *Blessing* I would sell if any will buy her at 160 or 150 li she Cost 145 besides some new saile, and rigging and a new Cable above 20 li. The Cable is speciall good, except you should foresee any occasion that she should rather be kept still; or if their be imployment to Sable for her; but if she continues still to goe upon any designe I desire she goe likewise for her share the men to find themselves, otherwise I would have her laid up at Boston till further ocaation. the men I desire should be discharged at soone as ever they Come ashore, and their wages be paid them: I thanke you for the bread you sent. you write of 800 but there is not above 300 and an halfe at most delivered, besides 100 they keepe still aboard the rest I cannot learne what be[c]ome of it but that it hath been wastfully spent: they had besides halfe an hogsh[ead] of bread of their owne which was likewise spent and they were but [mutilated] eleven persons they say most of that tyme. [mutilated] for they pillaged her the tyme they had her to Salem pitifully that she hath neyther blockes nor braces nor running ropes, which the Belt Will sayth that mr. Holgrave outt [cut?] them of he saw him. therefore I have agreed with John Wood Fredericke and George to take her to thirds. thus with my duty remembered I rest your obedient Son

John Winthrop

As it is known that George was John Wood's son, Mrs. Clark has assumed that "Fredericke" was too, although no other record of him has been found.

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In March 1640 John or Johannes Wodt or Wood leased Thomas Bescher's tobacco farm at Gowanus in western Long Island, in or near present Brooklyn, New York. No doubt he did not work the farm himself, but hired an overseer or left a son to run it, with black and Indian slave labor having been used to work the fields in the usual fashion of the time. By 1 August 1641 he had acquired title to the farm from Nanne Beets, the widow of Thomas Bescher, she having entered into a marriage contract with Thomas Smith. Here the location of the

farm was described as being on Long Island as the Bay of the North River. In any event, that 1 August he sold the farm to Ambrose Lomen.

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An undated record located in the State Archive at Providence mentioned the purchase of fifty acres from Robert Jeffreys, to which was added two grants from the town of Newport totaling eight acres. This homestead farm was located "at the Hermitage alias Middletown bounded on the eastern end by land off Mr Sanfords on the northern side by Edward Robinson on the western end by the hieway" and on "the southern side by the land granted to John Vaughan."

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To Mrs. Elizabeth Winthrop att Boston in New England p a friend C.D.C.—Wellcome. I salute ye kindly, + am glad to heere of your happiness. I could have wished your tobacco had proved to better accom[un]t We came to miserable law price for it, + after I had carryed it all the Straits over + the longer the worse, I kept it. I am allmost ashamed to give yo accoⁿ of it. However it hath produced these small things yo advised me to buy for yo: to say, six rush leather chairs, some shoves But you must excuse me. I have been badlye dealt with about them. I spoke for them, + he putt me of till last, + now they proms not to my mind nor to yours neither, weh in worst of all. I intended one paire

for your selfe + one paire for your mother + one paire for your grandmother, + one paire for your brother Tho., + one paire for sister Mary; but in regard they prove so contrary to my expectation I shall reffer them all to your disposall, as al soe some other things included in a invoice inclosed herein. I desire to be remembered to your good husband + respectfullye remaine

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Jno Wood

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- i. Mary⁵, b. 25 Jan. 1743/4; d. 12 April 1832; m. 18 March 1764 Thomas Tripp, Jr.
- ii. Abner, b. 15 Feb. 1745/[6?]; d. 3 Sept. 1825; m. 17 Feb. 1771 Mary Brightman.
- iii. Susannah, b. 7 March 1746/[7?]; d. 12 Oct. 1767; m. 30 July 1767 Daniel⁶ Wood.
- iv. Sarah, m. (int. 25 Feb. 1775) Job Cornell.
- * v. Margaret, b. 3 March 1749/[50?]; d. 31 July 1802; m. 15 Sept. 1771 Lovet² Tripp.

- 1 WOOD, JOHN [1] a mariner
 s.
 b.
 d. 1655 Portsmouth, Rhode Island
 r. Newport and Portsmouth, R. I.
 1m. [perhaps a Margaret Carter]
 c. 1A ?Frederick
 1B George
 1C John
 1D Thomas
 1E William
 1F Margaret
 1G Susannah
 2m. Elizabeth _____. She m. after John Wood's death Hugh Parsons.
 c. 1H Susanna
 1J Elizabeth
 n. In Newport, he had land on Jepson's Lane just above what was in 1962 the Middletown line. He also had land on what was in 1962 Hedley Avenue between Routes 114 and 138 which his son Thomas inherited.

1636 May 16 Quineticut--John Winthrop, Jr. writes from Saybrook to his father at Boston saying John Wood has "returned without any Corne"--want to dispose of the ship "Bachelor"; and cannot find John Wood has been to blame for the miscarriage of his voyage. Wants to dispose of ship "Blessing" and has "agreed with John Wood Fredericke and George to take her to thirds". Wants them to bring back the "Bachelor", they to "goe for shares and vicuall themselves".

1637 April 10 Francis Kirby from London writes to Mr. John Winthrop at his house in Ipswich to be delivered in New England--has carefully packed "the glasses and the water"--and delivered it aboard the Hector to John Wood and "made him acquainted with the water and danger of it".

1640 March "Wodt or Wood, John or Johannes (sup. English) hired Mar. 1640 Thomas Bescher's farm at Gowanus". This was a tobacco farm in New Amsterdam.

1640 July 6 George Fenwick at Saybrook wrote to Governor Winthrop at Boston in which he mentions "though I haue a letter from John Wood, who mentions provisions he hath to bring for me from some friends but mentions not my man".

1641 John Wood again in New Amsterdam--becomes owner of the tobacco farm which he has been renting and 1641 Aug 1 Ambrose Lonnen buys the house and plantation which was "situate on Long Island at the Bay of the North River".

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1. Miss Bertha W. Clark in "John Wood of Rhode Island and His Early Descendants on the Mainland" presents her findings and arguments concerning the first three generations of this family. These will not be repeated here although a brief chronological outline from that is given; nor will the references be repeated here. Any additional ones will, of course, be cited.

When I began, I used Arnold and Austin extensively although I've not indicated this throughout. I did do a bibliography for BWC's work and included it and an index with her work. Later I integrated her work into mine.

✓ 1640? Record of his first land purchase (a homestead farm) and of two grants from the town of Newport, Rhode Island is undated but in State Archives at Providence--"John Wood of Nuport bought and purchased of Robt Jeffreys--about fifty acres--and is laid forth at the Hermitage alias Middletown -- 5 acres granted by the town added to western end and one the southern side--and another 3".

1643 June 7 "An ac of John Richman agst John Wood of the same town [Nuport] in an ac of Trespass...." Also "An ac of Trespass by David Greenman agst John Wood of the same Towne [Nuport]".

1643/4 March 7 "The debt of John Wood of twenty Pounds is respited for two years in regard of his great losse" according to Massschusetts Bay records.

1645 Jan 30 John Wood is one of the witnesses to the deed for Blacklead Hill deeded to John Winthrop, Jr. by We Bucksham and his son. This is a black lead mine in the southern part of Sturbridge, Mass. about one mile from the Connecticut border.

1645 March John Wood and Robt Griffin sureties for Ed: Robinson--whose land bordered John Wood's on the north.

✓ 1645 Sept 18 John Wood bought 14 acres of John Cranston. Both of "Nuport Road Iland". Deed recorded 15 Sept. 1646. This, Miss Clark says on p. 7, was in the State Archives and on the same page as the "undated memorandum of Wood's earliest Newport land". [See under 1640? above]. Then: On the same page, but quite separate from the two items we have quoted, is the following land record: "Memorandum that the town of Nuport granted to John Wood 30 acres of land which he hath satisfied for the Threasy together with ten given to John Cranston as a servant as--- [illegible] for which allowed 14 in Nuport of a house lott is laid forth 5 acres by his 50 bought of Mr. Jeoffrey the rest amounting 39 acres more or less is laid forth 80 poles squar, the southern side bounding on Weedens land at the northern corner therof, the eastern by the hieway going between Carrs land & the said Weednes & the western & northern by the Common. His land so buttet & bounded is for ever impropriated to the sd John Wood his heires & assignes for ever," etc., etc.

Teste William Dyre Reg^r"

1646 "An action of the case com by William Withington plaintiff of Nuport agst John Wood of the same upon xx nobles damag Delayed till next Court find for the defendant costs".

✓ 1648 July 10 John Woode (and Samuell Jenne) are among seventeen who became freemen of Portsmouth on this date.

1649 May 26 and 27 John Wood was one of the twelve jurymen who served at the Court of Tryals "houlden at Warwick" these dates.

1650 March "This present deed bareing date this first day of the [] of march in the yeare of our lorde sixtene hundreth fortie n [] witnesseth" that Nicholas Browne of Portsmouth sells forty-five acres in Portsmouth near the Nuport line to John Woode Senior of the same town and place. This was witnessed by Philip, Heber, and Sara Shearman.

1650 April 6 A letter from John Wood to Mrs. Elizabeth Winthrop concerning "six rush leather chairs and "some shoves".

✓ 1655 May 7 The Portsmouth town "Councell" met to dispose of the estate of "John Wood deceast". In April his wife Elizabeth had been chosen administratrix by his sons.

THE OATH OF A FREE-MAN

"I - being by Gods providence, an Inhabitant, and Free-man, within the Jurisdiction of this Commonwealth; do freely acknowledge myself to be subject to the Government thereof; And therefore do here swear by the great and dreadful name of the ever-living God, that I will be true and faithful to the same and will accordingly yeild assistance and support thereunto, with my person and estate, as in equity I am bound; and will also truly endeavor to maintain and preserve all the liberties and priviledges thereof, submitting myself to the wholesome Lawes and Orders made and established by the same. And further, that I will not plot or practice my evill against it, or consent to any that shall so do; but will timely discover and reveal the same to lawfull authority now here established, for the speedy preventing thereof.

Moreover, I do solemnly bind myself in the sight of God, that when I shall be called to give my voice touching any such matter of this state, in which Freemen are to deal, I will give my vote and suffrage as I shall judge in mine own conscience may best conduce and tend to the publik weal of the body, without respect of persons, or favour of any man. So help me God in the Lord Jesus Christ."

Hartford Times Genealogical Questions and Answers--Feb. 26, 1962--L.B.M.
 "Freemen in Early Colonies.

An applicant had to be 21 years old. In Massachusetts and in the New Haven Colony he must be a member of the church; this was not required in other colonies of what is now Connecticut. All colonies had a property requirement.

All early charters were charters for trading companies and all freemen were stockholders of those companies. All applicants to be made freemen were passed on and decided by General Court."

1A WOOD, FREDERICKE

- s. perhaps son of John 1
 b. only mention of him is in letter of John Winthrop, Jr. in spring of 1636 concerning ship "Bachelor". [1]
 d. if son, not mentioned in settlement of father's estate in 1655.

1B WOOD, GEORGE

- s. John Wood, _____
 b. called eldest in settlement of father's estate--born before 1620 which is birth year of his brother, John. [2]
 d. 1664 [2]
 r. Long Island; Connecticut
 c. 1B1 Jacob--illegitimate by Indian girl "Hope".

1m. _____ [3]

1B2 John

1B3 Mary

2m. 1660, Ann _____ who m. (2) Henry Rogers. George & Ann m. 16 July.

1B4 George

1B5 Ann

n. 1640-41 One of Southampton's first 47 settlers.

1644 Mar 4 In court with Indian girl named "Hope" re their illegitimate child.

1644 Mar 7 In the first ward of Southampton men organized for salvaging whales cast ashore.

1649 May 10 Listed as one of 27 townsmen in Southampton.

1651-53 Shown owning or acquiring land.

1653 Mar 8 In second squadron for salvaging whales.

1655 Received B4 from father's estate.

1659 Aug 6 he signs a petition asking certain privileges of the "gouvernement of the Colloney of Coneticoke" at Cromwell Bay, "alis Setauke". Henry Rogers also signed among the 14 petitioners.

Undated land record at Saybrook, Connecticut [the part at Lyme] shows him with land there; later-- land at Setauket laid out for him (1661)--also had land at Little Neck.

1. BWC, John Wood..., op cit, p. 3.

2. Everything here concerning this George is from BWC's: Rhode Island Woods on Long Island, The American Genealogist, Whole Number 155, Volume 39, No. 3, July 1963. Published also, by permission of D. L. Jacobus in John Wood of Rhode Island....., p. 105 and following. Someone pencilled in Austin at Newberry Library, Chicago: "George (2) Wood, son of John 1, was a weaver and resided in Cohanzzy". I have not explored this.

3. Miss Clark assumes a first marriage because children John and Mary were too old to have been children of Ann _____ whom BWC says he m. in 1660, July 16. Dr. E. E. Lindell, letter 10-26-72 says BWC said Ann may have been Ann Sherman, but that she didn't say why she thought so.

This seems more likely - but not explored

1662 Apr 8 He sold his land in Connecticut and they moved from Lyme to Setauket.

1662 July 23 Appointed keeper of the ordinary, and was one of the fence surveyors that year.

1664 He died "by Witchcraft, as is suspected". Henry Rogers became guardian of the minor children. [1]

1B1 WOOD, JACOB

s. George Wood, Indian girl "Hope".

b. 1643

d. 1682 Southampton

r. Southampton, Long Island in Mecox

m. Mary

c. 1B1A ?Jacob [2]

1B1B ?Richard

n. 1644 Mar 4 Parents "agreede that the sayd child....being at this tyme a yeare old, shall continue to be the lawfull servant of the sayd Edward Houell.....until.....be of the age of thirty years".

1669 Oct 20 Given, among George Wood's other heirs, by "henery Rogers", a home lott in Brookhaven but "never came to Brookhaven to live".

1671 Homelot in Southampton (Mecox) and was esteemed and prospered.

1882 Inventory shows 20 acres of land and total valuation of £155 18s or £190-18-6. Widow Mary and two sons.

1B1A WOOD, JACOB

s. Jacob Wood, Mary

r. Mecox

n. His father's homelot was close to Arthur Howell's and this Jacob and following Richard were also said to have had dealings with the Howells.

1B1B WOOD, RICHARD

s. Jacob Wood, Mary

r. Mecox

1B2 WOOD, JOHN [3]

s. George Wood,

r. Manor of St. George

m. Mary

n. 1672 Sep 26 Henry Rogers arranged with the town to have John help guard Old Field from stray cattle and hogs.

1677 July 5 Henry Rogers and John Wood "freely granted" land to Robert Cullam of Southampton.

1. For amplification of all of this see R. I. Woods on L. I. pp. 105-108 in BWC John Wood of R. I. and her references given there.
2. BWC, ibid, p. 107 thought the sons were probably Jacob and Richard who also lived in Mecox.
3. Barbour's Vital Records of Connecticut, the Saybrook Vital Records.

1670 Mention made of John Wood's home lot.

1681 John Roé arranged to have a house built the length and breadth of John Wood's house.

1681 Aug 18 Henry Rogers had a statement in writing drawn up of what John Wood's patrimony was to be. [2]

1690 Nov 27 John "farmalet" his homestead on the north shore to John Tompson for six years.

1693 Dec 20 Col. William Smith sold to John Wood 100 acres, now in his tenure, on a certain neck in the Manor of St. George and leased him certain lands in Brookhaven.

1693/4 Jan 25 Col. Smith sold to Timothy Brewster land in the Old Field he had bought of John Wood.

1700 July 2 John Wood witnesses a guarantee of planting rights.

1701 July 12 Moses Owen sold land in Brookhaven bounded by Thomas Biggs, Jr. George Wood, dec'd and John Wood, "late of the Manor of St. George, dec'd".

1B3 WOOD, MARY

- d. George Wood, _____
- d. alive as late as Oct 11, 1703
- r. Lyme, Setauket, Saybrook
- 1m. (probably Robert) Peragoe
- c. 1B3A
- 1B3B
- 1B3C
- 1B3D
- 2m. Henry Peterson of Lyme, Conn.
- c. 1B3E Sarah

1B3A PERAGOE, _____

1B3B PERAGOE, _____

1B3C PERAGOE, _____

1B3D PERAGOE, _____

1B3E PETERSON, SARAH

- d. Henry Peterson, Mary (Wood) Peragoe
- b. 1686)ct 20
- m. Capt. Henry Champion son of Henry and Susannah (DeWolf) Champion
- c. 1B3E1 Esther [1]

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1. This and the eight on down sent me by Dr. E. E. Lindell, letter Oct 26, 1972.
 2. With this (I haven't seen it) or about this time John agrees to pay his sister, Mary Peragoe, a legacy.

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(part 2
from Dillie)

- 1C WOOD, JOHN a mariner
s. John Wood, _____
b. 1620
d. 1704 Aug 26 ae 84 Little Compton, Rhode Island [1]
i. Wood Burying Ground in Newport, Rhode Island in the part which is now Middletown. This is on the Deacon Smith Farm.
r. Hempstead, Long Island; Newport, R. I. "Of London" as late as January 1649.
1m. _____ probably in England
c. possibly [3]
1C1 Henry
1C2 John [2]
1C3 Walter
2m. Anna _____
c. 1C4 Jonathan
3m. Mary Peabody dau of John and Dorothy (Tooley) Peabody [6]
c. 1C5 John
1C6 Thomas
1C7 William
1C8 Henry
1C9 Peleg
1C10 Margaret
n. 1648 autum, ship Peregrine failed to call at Boston for wheat--a protest made against Mr. Hugh Wood, Mr. Richard Bodilowe merchants of London and Mr. John Wood Agent or ffactor for them.
✓ 1648 Dec and Jan 1649 litigation concerning the wheat continues.
✓ 1648 Dec 8 "I attested a Copie of a Bill of Major ED: Gibbons to ffra: Norton of 85ⁱⁱ and a Receipt of goods from ffra: Norton to value of 97.5.6 aboard the Peregrine by Mr. John Wood." [4]
no 1651 Apr 1 In a Court at New Haven charged with theft and lying re a hogg. [5]
no 1651 Aug 4 John Wood "nor any for Nehemiah Smith, medle no more to breake vp or any way Improue the land formerly granted for sheepe on th west side" [of New Haven].
no 1651 Nov 4 An attachment vpon some goods of John Wood for some money he owed "falles" because Anthony Waters paid the debt.
no 1657 May 25 repeats some gossip his wife told him at trial of Hannah, then Beard, for obtaining a divorce upon false grounds.
1655 May 7 Portsmouth Town Council ruled as to distribution of John (1) Wood's estate. John (2) Wood got land that was in his possession [in Newport--50 acre homestead] and was to pay his Sister Manchester.
1655 one of ninety-five listed as freemen of Newport.

1. Little Compton Families by Benjamin Franklin Wilbour, publ. 1967, p. 778.
2. BWC has this John as son of Anna in the Long Island study but puts him here in "John Wood of Rhode Island.....", p. 35.
3. For other possibilities see BWC-John Wood....., p. 32.
4. BWC is quoting from Aspinwall Notorial Records but gives no more.
5. This seems a little incongruous.
6. BWC assumes another wife after Mary Peabody but because she misinterpreted the use of the term "now wife". I see no reason to assume one. On p. 32, she lists other possible children. W. A. Wood because Ruth (Brock) Wood gave deed of land, when widow of Richard Wood, in Newport to Henry Wood of New Jersey thinks they were brothers--which would add Richard. Note--Richard in m. record from Friends in London, is called "son of Richard"--1977 correspondence.

- 1655-1662 Figures in a long drawn-out trial re a mare, held in New Haven Court.
- 1658 Aug 26 Springfield, Mass.: "Jonathan son of John Wood borne 26 of 6 mo 1658".
- 1659 Dec 23 In trouble with town of Springfield for "giving intertainment to Isacke Hall", a Quaker.
- 1660 Mar 5 "To psecute agt John Wood for staying in Towne". "came 1658 removed 1660"
- 1661 Jan 5 His land mentioned re a highway to be laid out in Newport.
- 1661 Sep 15 Land being bought up in Westerly. John buys lot No. 67 but "possibly sold or exchanged it--his name not on later lists". Thomas Manchester and John "Peperdy" also buy.
- 1662 Mar 11 Served on Grand Jury at Newport.
- 1662 Apr In Taunton, Mass. and gives deposition re death bed bequest pf Thomas Billington. Gives age as 42. Isaac hall ae 24 also deposed.
- 1662 Jun 3 John Wood and Henry Wood names on list of men who might be interested in what became the Taunton North Purchase.
- 1662 Aug 21 Anna, "the wife of John Wood formerly of Rode Island" gives son, Jonathan Wood age four years, to John Smith "untill he come to bee twenty one yeares of age". [1]
- 1662 Nov 19 John Wood on list at Oyster River, then part of Dover then under the jurisdiction of Massachusetts Bay Colony, for assessment for support of the minister. "There is one reference also to John Wood, Jr.".
- BWC quotes Dr. John R. Ham's listing of Wood marriages in Dover [1]. John Wood as early as 1665 married _____ and "John Wood (Jr. in 1686) married _____ on ____". She believes these to be John Wood (2) who d. 1704 and John (3) Wood who married Mary Church.
- 1663 May 18 John Wood among others fined for absence from jury service at Newport.
- 1662, 1663, etc. Involved in dispute between Rhode Island and Connecticut over boundaries...because of purchase of land by the Atherton Company. [2]
- 1663 Dec 10 Prisoner, with others, of the Court.
- 1664 Mar 1 John Woods petition to be read in Court--consideration waved until next General Assembly.

1. Walter Aaron Wood Mss. 138 at Newberry Library, Chicago shows re John Wood of Newport: "Perhaps he was the John Wood, Sr. who had a son, John Wood, Jr. and lived at Bellami's Brook or Dover, New Hampshire. His listing of children is entirely different and he gives John, Jr. as married "?Mary West". This Mss. is a large collection of carbons, perhaps of a book to be, without references or acknowledgements, given by Mrs. Ivor Jeffries who was W. A.'s sister, Arminda. Anything else and his voluminous correspondence, she had stored and did not want to sell it when I inquired. What became of it, I do not know.
2. BWC says for story of Atherton Purchase see the Fones book on early R. I. lands.

no 1664 Dec 6 Anna "the wife of John Wood of Road Island" in court proceeding for living with Thomas Styles for about two years and bearing him two children, is "to be restored to her Husband"...warrant to Magistrates of Flushing, Long Island

1665 May 5 The group concerned in the boundary fight to be heard by the Court "Satterday morning".

Several undated entries follow the one above. In one the members of the group are to choose whether they will give bond for their appearance in Court or go to prison. And "the Court have determined that nothing shall be made knowne vuto them concerning what they are accused of untill they have declared themselves, which of the proposalls that are presented to them they will take".

John Wood of Newport gave a bond of £200; sureties John Peperdy (John's father-in-law) and Edward Robinson (neighbor whose land bordered John's) £100 each.

1665 October Court session John Wood and his suretyes and John Hicckes and his suretyes are released from their bonds. The feud was for the time being over, when it was revived, John Wood had no part in it.

1666 Oct 24 Served on petit jury at Newport--so did John Pebody.

1667 May 6 Again served on petit jury at Newport.

1667 A "company of purchasers" organised to buy land of Indians and establish a settlement in New Jersey at what became Monmouth. John Wood was a purchaser.

1669 May 18 On petite jury at Newport.

1671 Feb 28 Sold his land in New Jersey to Gyles Slocum. (Newport man)

1671 June 7 Nominated for jury service at Newport.

1673 May 6 Named as one of Newport's Deputies to the Assembly.

1674 Feb 19 One of three witnesses to the selling of a house and land.

1674 May Again chosen as Deputy.

1675 May 4 Again named as Deputy.

1675 Treasurer's Book, page 58 shows: "John Woods acct pd 14/4".

1. Miss Bertha W. Clark had not finished her study "John Wood of Rhode Island..." when she died March 5, 1965, and I published it as she had it in 1966. On page 32, she is still questioning whether John (3) Wood of Little Compton who married Mary Church is son of John (2), evidently not realizing we had the proof that he was. It seems reasonable that more research concerning Anna and her husband should be done including search for another John Wood of Rhode Island of this period. In Mr. B. F. Wilbour's letter to me May 28, 1961 he says the will of John Wood who married Mary Peabody "very early at Newport, R. I." About that time, indexing was going on at Newport Historical Society and perhaps this will turned up. It would be a prize if found.

it appears BWC was right to question this! - and DWE was wrong - if he was Anthony's son.

1677 Dec 25 Bought lot 13 in Little Compton, as well as other land there...Great lot #31 which came into possession of son, John, who married Mary Church; house lot #13 coming into possession of son, Henry who resided later in Little Compton--not son, Henry who went to New Jersey.

1678 Taxed one pound. 1680, 13s 10d.

1680 Paid by the Treasurer for 36 lbs of pork.

1683 Aug 1 William Paybody of Little Compton sold him house lot #11 in the first division of house lots there.

1687 June 22 John Wood drew lot 4 in the division of his father-in-law, John Peabody's, estate.

1690 Feb 26 Again chosen for deputy.

1690 May 6 Again elected a deputy.

1695 Nov 14 John and Mary deed unto son Thomas of Little Compton two fifty-acre lots there, the sixth and seventh lots bounded westward with a High way, Northward and Eastward by the land of William Southward and south or Southerly by the lands of James Peckham, together with Housing, etc. John and Mary acknowledged this 1699 June 8 to be their Act and Deed.

1702 Jan 5 He got 18 1/2 acres in a Newport land division in two parcels.

DWE's reasoning is flawed. She seeks to tie the words (especially John to her Henry) through possession of lot #13. Actually it was a wedding present from Joseph Church, her father-in-law, and NOT acquired through Wood connections!

NOTE the fact that there was a John Wood whose name is linked with Nicholas Brown on occasion and who bought land in Portsmouth, R. I. of Nicholas Brown in 164_. Perhaps he was the John Wood of Road Island, husband of Anna. Has he been checked out? John [LC] was called "of London" as late as 1649. These two are not the same man.

Also: I have a note that the children of John [LC] were members of Trinity Episcopal in Newport and to see the Turner Collection at Newport Historical Society. Not accomplished.

Plymouth Colony Records, Deeds, Volume 4, Part 1, Page 169.

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Winflow Gov .

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To all people to whom the se p^resents fhall come Greeting Know yee that I ~~hugh~~ hugh Cole of the Towne of Swanfey in the Collonie of New Plymouth in New England, have for and in Confiderafion of the Juft fume of fifty feaven pounds and ten fhillings, of New England filver, unto mee in hand payed by John Wood of the Town of New Port in the Collonie of Rhode Iland and Providence Plantations (word crossed out), the Receipt whereof Y Doo hereby acknowledge and of every p^rte and p^rsell thereof before the figning and fealing of thefe p^resents and ~~and~~ therewith fully fatiffied; and of the fame and every p^rte thereof Doo acquitt and Difochage the faid John Wood his heires and assignes by thefe p^resents; have therfore demifed Graunted Allianated bargained; and fold enfeofed and Confirmed; and by thefe p^resents I the faid hugh Cole Doo therfore fully Clearly and abfolutely; Demife Graunt allianate bargain fell enfeofe Confeirme, and make ouer; from mee and my heires executors Adminiftrators and assignes onto the faid John Wood his heires and assignes two certaine pieces and p^rells of Land; lying and being in a Neck of Land Called and knowne by the Name of (two words crossed out) Sakonett Necke, in the Collonie of New Plymouth; one p^r fell of which faid Land Containing by eftimation one hundred acres; be it more or leffe; buted and bounded as followeth: on the weft by the Great Bay or fea; on the North now or lately in the poffeffion of Jofeph Church; on the eaft by Lands as yett undivided; on the fouth by Jofiah Coole; which faid land foo butted and bounded is to extend in length as it is layed out, one mile and a quarter and in breadth thirty five Rodds; The other p^r fell or Lott being the thirteenth lot containing bounded on the fouth by John Studfon, on the North by Thomas Pinchen, and eafterly by the highway; on the weft by the Comon; To have and to hold the faid p^rells of Land or any p^rte thereof; unto him the faid John Wood his heires executors Adminiftrators, and assignes To his and theirsowne proper ufe and behoofe for ever; and I the faid hugh Cole Doo hereby warrant; that all the making of this deed of Bargaine and fale of the lands above p^remised and every p^rte thereof, I was the true and lawfull owner of the fame; and I had full Right and Authoritie, to bargain and fell the fame, in Manor as is above expreffit unto the faid John Wood his heirs and assignes for ever, from any Elaim or wife's Dowry Joynture or thirds; or any other matter or ~~chaufe~~ caufe whatfoever Relateing to the faid Lands; I the faid hugh Cole hereby warranting the faid fale of the faid Lands, as is above expreffit unto the faid John Wood his heires and assignes for ever; as witnef my hand and feals this twenty fift Day of December one thoufand fix hundred feaventy and feaven 1677

Signed fealed and
Delivered in the p^resents
of John Easton Juni^r
Walter Clarke

Hugh Cole And a Seale

This deed was acknowledged by
hugh Cole and Mary Cole his wife
to be theire act and Deed before
mee James Browne Affittant the
five and twentyeth Day of february
in the year 1677

Will of Aug 1683

Plymouth Colony Records of Deeds, Volume 5, Page 230

To all people to whom these Presents shall come William Paybody of Little Compton in the colony of New Plymouth in New England Plantor Sendeth Greeting vis:-----
Know yee that I the said William Paybody for and Consideration of the full and Just Sime of five pounds currant (silver?) Money of New England in hand payed; unto mee before the sealing and Delivery of these presents by John Wood of New Port on Rhode Island in the Colony of Rhode Island and Providence plantations in New England, the (receipt?) whereof I doo acknowledge and herewith I Doo Owne my selfe fully Satisfied Contented and Payed; And have Given Granted bargained sold alliednt enfeoff and confirmed and by these presents doo Give Grant bargaind sell alien Engeoff I doo confirm from mee and my heirs, unto him the said John Wood and his heirs and assigns for ever; a Certain part or partell of land fittuate lying and being in Little Compton afore-said Containing about ten acres mor or lesse; being the eleventh lot in Number in the first division of house Lotts; together with all and singular the Comons Liberties Priviledges and Appurtenances thereunto belonging; or any way appertaining; to have and to hold the said eleventh lott of Land together with all and singular (3 words crossed out) the Priviledges hereby bargained and sold, unto him the said John Wood his heirs and assigns to his and their own proper use and behoof for ever; And I the said William Paybody for mee and my heirs doo hereby bargain Covenant Grant and Agree; to and with the said John Wood and his heirs that I am Lawfully seised of the said parcell of Land and priviledges thereunto belonging; and have full power to bargain and sell the same unto him the said John Wood; his heirs and assigns as above enfeoffed, and that the same shall for ever hereafter be and remain unto him the said John Wood his heirs and assigns of and from all other bargaines sales Gifts Grants (feofes?) Dowers thirds or claimes whatsoever; had made suffered or done; by mee the said William Paybody or my heirs or assigns, or any other person or persons by my means _____; or _____ sufficiently discharged; And I the said William Paybody the said Lands, and all and singular the-priviledg-(sic) priviledges hereby Granted, bargained and sold, unto him the said John Wood and his heirs and assigns; against mee my heirs or assigns warrant and Defend-(sic) for ever Defend by these presents In Witness whereof, I have hereunto sett my hand and seales, this first Day of August one thousand six hundred eighty and three, 1683

William Paybody and a

WP

William Paybody and Elizabeth his wife acknowledged this Infrument this first day of August 1683, before mee
John Aldin Affittant

Signed sealed and delivered
in the presents of
Johathan Alden
David Alden

THE LITTLE COMPTON WOODS

Fourth and Fifth Generations of Wood in Little Compton, Rhode Island; some history.
Dorothy Wood Ewers, Ph. D.

In August of 1961 my husband and I visited Mr. Benjamin Franklin Wilbour at his home in Little Compton, Rhode Island. He gave us two days of his valuable life time to take us about so that I might see the many homesites, gravesites, etc. of my numerous Little Compton ancestors and relatives. This visit with him, the only time we ever saw him although we corresponded a good deal, is one of the high lights of my life! Without his kindness we would not have had access to these places had we known about all he showed us, which we did not. We three had a very good time together and Ernest and I counted ourselves very lucky to have known Mr. Wilbour as well as Miss Bertha Clark of Boston whom we also visited. His help as well as hers, among others, will be apparent in the following account.

Ancestry

John (2) Wood of Newport (John 1 of Portsmouth) [1] and Mary Peabody, his wife, had three sons who made their homes in Little Compton--then Massachusetts, now Rhode Island [2]: John (3) Wood who was born in 1664 and died February 22, 1740 who married Mary Church; Thomas (3) Wood who was born in 1666 and married Content [surname unknown but surmised by some to be a daughter of Edward Thurston and his wife Elizabeth Mott]; and Henry (3) Wood who was born before 1683 and married Content Thurston a daughter of Jonathan and Sarah () Thurston.

The paternity of Henry Wood and John Wood *Henry son of Lt John by first wife* Henry is my ancestor, but I could find little in the literature concerning his parentage and that inconclusive. John is the ancestor of Professor Horace W. Wood, Jr. and had "always been known in the family as son of John (2)"; but, again, there was no evidence. A study of documents seemed in order and was undertaken with the following results: Study of deeds and wills of Thomas Wood (1666-1729) married Content _____, (Lieutenant) John Wood (1664-1740) married Mary Church, and Henry Wood (died 1758) married Content Thurston, led to the belief that they were closely related for this John Wood is witness to Henry's deed from John Richmond [3] and Henry's deed to Thomas Burgis [4]; to a deed in March 1707 or 8 to Henry Wood from Benjamin and Alice Church [5]; and Thomas and John both witness Henry's deed in 1709 when he sells to Ichabod Williston [6]; Joseph Wood, son of Lieutenant John Wood (above) is witness to Henry's will written March 14, 1758; and John Wood, Jr., son of Thomas (b. 1666), witnesses the will of Lieutenant John Wood [7]. Thomas (3) also is my ancestor.

Two questions arose which, if answered, might give a clue to the paternity of Henry Wood and Lieutenant John Wood and to their relationship to Thomas Wood: First, where did Henry get the two house lots he sold to Thomas Burgis? And second, how did Joseph Wood, only surviving son of Lieutenant John Wood and who received all his father's estate [8] come into possession of his hundred acre lot which he leaves to sons George and Isaac--fifty acres each, one fifty west of highway down to the sea; the other, east of the highway? This property is the thirty-first great lot of the lots drawn at Duxbury, April 10, 1675.

1. NEHGR 69: 188-9.
2. Walter Aaron Wood, Ms 138 Newberry Library, Chicago, Illinois, states that John (2) Wood first lived in Little Compton but gives no evidence for this.
3. Bristol Co. Deeds, Taunton, Mass., Book 5, pp 28, 29.
4. Ibid, Book 9, p. 646.
5. Ibid, Book 5, pp 343, 344.
6. Ibid, Book 5, p. 435.
7. Deeds and wills shown in full in this publication.
8. Original of will in Taunton, Mass. "Old Records" file.

Thomas (3) Wood was given a deed by his father John (2) Wood of Newport to "two certain Lots of fifty acres each being the 6 and 7 lots in Little Compton", November 14, 1695 [1]. John Wood, Jr. was witness to this deed as was Jonathan Thurston who became Henry Wood's father-in-law.

Thomas (3) Wood (John2, John1) by will dated August 22, 1728 probated May 20, 1729, left all his land in Little Compton to his son Thomas, Jr. and if he (Thomas 4) died without an heir his brothers "John Wood shall have the south 50 akers and William shall have the north fifty akers of land". Presumably these are the lots 6 and 7 [2]. Thomas (4) Wood died August 20, 1727 a few months after the death of his father and willed all of his estate to his "beloved brother John" (4) Wood (Thomas 3, John2, John1) other than bequests of bond, furniture, and animals to sisters. He does not mention his brother William [3]. John (4) Wood's son, Constant (5) Wood got all his father's homestead farm according to Mr. Wilbour who said he had a copy of the will of John (4). Further than this, I have not followed this land.

Miss Clark, knowing of my particular interest in Henry and Lieutenant John of Little Compton, took time to copy for me a copy of a Plymouth deed in Massachusetts Archives [4], which answers the questions.

Hugh Cole, of the Town of Swansey, December 25, 1677 sells to "John Wood of the Towne of New Port (John 2) "two certain pieces and p^rcells of Land, lying and being in a Necke of Land called and known by the Name of Saconette Necke" (later, Little Compton) "one p^rcell of which said Land containing by estimation one hundred acres; be it more or Lesse; butted and bounded as followeth, on the West by the Great Bay or sea; on North Now or lately in the possession of Joseph Church; on the east by lands yett undivided; on the south by Josiah Cooke; which said land so butted and bounded is to extend in length as it is layed out, one mile and a quarter and in breadth thirty five Rodds; The other p^rcell or Lott being the thirteenth lot containing bounded on the south by John Studson, on the North by Thomas Pinchenn [5], and easterly by the highway; on the west by the comon.....".

How is it possible to identify all these lots? When I first proposed the problem, Professor Horace W. ("Bud") Wood of The University of Missouri, sent me a "Map of Little Compton, R. I." which says: "T his Land was allotted to the first Proprietors of Little Compton at Duxbury 1673-1694". The original map was made by Otis Wilbour, town clerk about 1850 and is printed now by the Little Compton Historical Society and Mr. Henry I. Richmond--or was at that time. This map shows Great lot number 31 owned by Hugh Cole and bounded on the north by Joseph Church and on the south by Josiah Cook so there is no question with regard to this lot! House lot 13 in the first division of house lots is also shown as owned by Hugh Cole. Lot number 15 is just north of 13 and lot 11 is just south of 13. Plymouth Colony records [6] show a deed from "William Paybody of Little Compton in the Colonie of Rhode Island and Providence Plantation" dated August 1, 1683 for "the eleventh lot in Number in the first division of house Lotts".....It is the thirteenth and fifteenth house lots that Henry Wood sells to Thomas Burgis March 23, 1704 or 5.

1. Newport Land Evidence Book 120, p. 20, section 2.
2. Original of will in "Old Records" file at Taunton, Mass.
3. Ibid.
4. Massachusetts Archives, Deeds 4: 201-202.
5. Otis Wilbour's map (See paragraph 5 above.) shows this name as "Pinson" and the other definitely "Stod" with the latter half perhaps "scull".
6. Plymouth Colony Record of Deeds, Plymouth, Mass., Vol. 5, p. 230.

From all this, it appears reasonable to conclude that Lieutenant John Wood and Henry Wood were sons of John (2) Wood (John 1) and Mary Peabody and thus brothers of Thomas (3) Wood of Little Compton. For awhile it was thought possible they had a brother Jonathan, for a Jonathan Wood of Little Compton sells land there to John Wood of Little Compton, April 11, 1726 [1]. However, Thomas (2) Wood of Portsmouth and Swansea (John 1) had Jonathan who married Elizabeth Thurston in 1703 and resided in Little Compton; thus it is more logical that he is the Jonathan Wood selling land to John Wood in 1726 than to assume another brother.

The map and the deeds and wills follow; some immediately, others throughout the text. [2]

*It turns out our
Lt John was son of John II
Anthony, (but had son Henry
is this he?)*

1. Deed in possession of Professor Horace W. Wood, Jr. of Columbia, Missouri.
2. A brief account of this appears in The American Genealogist, Whole Number 199, July 1974, Vol. 50, No. 3. Some generation numbers are wrong. On page 143, paragraph 2, lines 2 and 3, it should be John 2--not 3, and Thomas 3--not 4; on page 144, in paragraph 3, line 8 should be John 2--not 3.

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Miss Clark & Mr. Evers
thought the Long Island Woods
was related to ours. Not B.

Also they thought Little Captain

very early cousins were brothers

She concentrated on proving
many Woods families came out
NOT be related to our our
Woods family

John Wood¹ & John Wood² were mainlines - Elong Island
was not far away.

July 1963.

RHODE ISLAND WOODS ON LONG ISLAND

By Miss Bertha W. Clark, of Boston, Mass.

John¹ Wood of Rhode Island had four sons: George, John, Thomas, and William, each of whom lived for a time on Long Island himself, or had a son or sons who did so; and they have been badly confused with Long Island Woods of other lines. Especially great has been the confusion between the George Wood of Newtown and the George of Southampton and Setauket; between the Jonathan Wood of Jamaica who married Mary Titus and removed to Huntington and later to Norwalk, and the Jonathan of Hempstead who married Mercy Banbury and removed to Oyster Bay and thence to South Jersey; and between the John Wood who quitclaimed to Richard Smith of Smithtown, and the John who had many dealings with Col. William Smith of St. George's Manor. It is the purpose of this study to disentangle the Rhode Island Woods from the others.

GEORGE² WOOD of the Rhode Island line was his father's eldest son and so born before 1620, the known year of his brother John's birth. He could not, therefore, have been the George of Newtown who deposed in 1681 that he was "aged fifty yerres or ther a bout" (Newtown Court Records (1656-1690) p. 126), and so born 1631. He must have been the other George and his life outlines as follows:

In 1640-41 he was one of Southampton's first 47 settlers [Thompson, Hist. of Long Island, 2:145-7]. On 4 Mar. 1644 he and an Indian girl named Hope, both servants of Mr. Edward Howell, were in court for having an illegitimate child. "Both of them having receaved corporall punishment...agreeed that the sayd child...being at this tyme a yeare old, shall continue to be the lawfull servant of the sayd Edward Houell, his heires or Assignes Vntil the sayd child shall be of the age of thirty years" [Southampton Rec. 1:35].

On 7 Mar. 1644 he was in the first ward of Southampton men organized for the salvaging of whales cast ashore [ibid., 1:32]. On 10 May 1649 he was listed as one of the 27 townsmen in Southampton [ibid., 1:56].

1651-1653 land records show him as owning or acquiring various parcels of land in Southmpson [*ibid.*, 1:98-101, 131, 133, 141-2]. On 8 Mar. 1653, when the salvaging of whales had been reorganized, he was in the Second squadron [*ibid.*, 1:92], after which he disappears from Southampton records. We judge he may have married about that time, for his son John, although a minor when his father died in 1664, was yet too old to have been son of the wife George married in 1660, as was also the daughter Mary. In 1655 George received £4 from his father's estate [Portsmouth Early Records, p. 323]. In that year six men, acting as agents for others, purchased of the Indians the land that became Setauket, George Wood's future home [Brookhaven Rec. A:vii]. George either bought then or by 1659, as the following item shows:

"Cromwell Bay, alis Setauke, August y^e 6 1659

"It having pleased God to dispose the harts of vs the inhabitation of the place aforesaid, to subiect our plantation, persons and estates vnder the p'tection and gouernment of the Colloney of Coneticoke," etc., they proceed to ask for certain privileges. The petition was signed by fourteen men, including George Wood and Henry Rogers: "These in the name of the rest" [Col. Rec. of Conn., 1:341]. However, he is not included in Thompson's list of the early settlers of Setauket [Hist. of Long Island, 2:290].

The first intimation as to where George Wood went after leaving Southampton comes from an undated land record at Saybrook, Conn. [Deeds 1:24]:

"The marriage of George Wood

married the 16th of July in the year 1660

George Wood his son born the 28th Sept. 1661

The lands of George Wood

bought of Nicholas Jennings on the east

side of the great River his house and

home lott of 16 ackers more or less.

- 2 All the meadow and comonage belonging to that land within his fence of 16 acres aforesaid

- 3 a peace of land in the towne of half an acker abuteing east to the majors lote West and south to the highways"

It would seem that George, while at Saybrook (the part which became Lyme) was having his land at Setauket, across the Sound, laid out for him. A Brookhaven list dated simply 1661 credits him with having two six-acre lots in the Old Field; and either then or a little later he had also two three-acre lots there; and in the same year he had also land on the little neck [Brookhaven Rec. 1:135, 146, 91].

Lyme Deeds [1:14] show that on 8 Apr. 1662 George sold out his land in Connecticut: "Wittnes all men by thes presents that I Gorg Wood of Say-Brook....have Sold...unto William Waller and Thomas Dunks both of Saybrook all my Right title and claime of the hous and Lands that I bought of Nicholas Ginnings Lling and being within the bounds of the towne of SayBrook that is to Say my house one the east Sid of the River: with sixteen accres of upland more or Less adioining to the hous and being within a fence; also nin ackers and a halfe Lying in the planting Feeld also my Second Devision yet to be Layed out and devided at nehantik belonging to a fivety pound; also half an acker Laying in the bounds of a plot adioining to Major Masons Lott: also all the Medow belonging to a fivety pound allotment and Commonadg Lying and being within the quarter one the east Sid of the River all which parsels of Land I doe by thes presents sell and make over....."

Test

Belshazer DaWolf

Henery Champion

George I Wood

mark

"aforesaid George Wood doth ingaig unto the said William Waller that he will Remove his family out of the Towne and bounds of Say-Brook within the tiem of one year following the Date hereof

Test

Robert Chapman

Belshazer DaWolf

Witnesseth my hand

his

George I Wood"

mark

These are the only signatures of George Wood of the Rhode Island line we have found. Years later his son George used the same mark "I". In every instance we have seen [Newtown Rec. 1:145, 171; Lloyd Fam. Papers 1:37; Huntington Rec. 1:69, 70], George Wood of Newtown signed by the mark X.

The Woods removed at once from Lyme to Setauket. By a confusing coincidence, when they arrived the other George Wood, not yet gone on to Newtown, was also a townsman of Brookhaven, having bought land of disputed title on the west branch of the Connetquot River in the southern part of the township [Brookhaven Rec. 1:137]. The town recorder distinguished between the Georges by calling one "the new comer" and the other "juiner." George, Jr., had a law suit in 1662 [*ibid.* 1:121] and soon moved on to Horse Neck, Huntington, and Newtown.

George "the new comer" had not long to live in his new home. On 23 July 1662 he was appointed keeper of the ordinary [*ibid.* 1:125] and he was one of the fence surveyors that year [*ibid.* 1:83]. He died in 1664, "by Witchcraft, as is suspected." His widow Ann almost immediately married their near neighbor, Henry Rogers. She has been as badly confused with Ann wife of William Rogers as her husband George has been with George of

Newtown. Hardly had she remarried when she lost an infant child, also by witchcraft as was suspected. Ralph and Mary Hall were accused of causing both deaths. The details of their trial in New York on 2 Oct. 1665 are given fully in O'Callaghan's Documentary History of New York (1851 ed.), 4:85-86, and at least briefly in most Long Island histories. The accused were finally, if not exactly acquitted, at least set free.

Henry Rogers became guardian of such of George Wood's children as were minors—not without considerable criticism from his fellow townsmen [Brookhaven Rec. 1:41]. There were at least five children who lived to maturity: Jacob, Mary, John, George, and Ann. We will give the pertinent facts for each of them, for the sons first:

Jacob. We are sure this was the name of the part Indian son. On 20 Oct. 1669 "henery Rogers have given unto Jacob Wood 5 akers for a home lott lying next to John Roes Runing from the se side vpward to the (Rere)" [ibid. 1:152]. Although thus given land among George Wood's other heirs, Jacob never came to Brookhaven to live. Southampton records show that by 1671 his home lot was close to Arthur Howell's and that he was held in esteem and prospered [1:182; 2:60, 94]. He died in early 1682. His inventory shows that he had 20 acres of land, valued at £120, and a total valuation of either £155 19s [N. Y. Hist. Soc. Coll., Wills 1:115-16] or of £190-18-6 [Suffolk County First Book of Sessions]. He left a widow Mary and two sons—probably the Jacob and Richard who, like him, lived in Mecox and had dealings with the Howells.

John. On 26 Sept. 1672 Henry Rogers arranged with the town to have John help guard Old Field from stray cattle and hogs [Brookhaven Rec. 1:95, 102]. That is, he was old enough then to do work like this. On 5 July 1677 Henry Rogers and John Wood "freely granted" land to Robert Cullam of Southampton [ibid. 1:33]. Was Cullam another heir—had he married a daughter of George Wood of whom we know nothing at all? In 1678 mention was made of John Wood's home lot [ibid. 1:64] and in 1681 John Roe arranged to have a house built "akording to the dementions for lenkth and bredth of John woods house" [ibid. B:103]. That is, John by now was a householder. His wife's name was Mary [ibid. B:6]. On 18 Aug. 1681 Henry Rogers had drawn up in writing a statement of what John's patrimony was to be. He was to have one-third of Henry's two home lots, the other two-thirds going equally to John's brother George and to Margaret, only child of Henry and Ann Rogers; also 3 1/2 acres in the "Old Field" which he now posseseth; and after the death of Henry and Ann the whole lot and

an adjacent acre; 3 1/2 acres in little neck; a whole piece of meadow next to Justice Woodhull's Point; 5 acres in Newtown [that is, East Setauket]; a 50-acre lot between Lieut. Floyd and Peter Whitehair; a share of meadow at Sebameck; 5 acres not yet laid out belonging to the home lots; a share of meadow at Old Mans; six apple trees next to his house; and, after the death of Henry, the gun that had belonged to John's father George [ibid. B:86-87].

On 27 Nov. 1690 John "farmalet" his homestead on the north shore to John Tompson for six years, rent to be payable yearly "at the now dwelling house of the sd John Wood at the South side of the Township" [ibid. B:297-8]. On 5 Oct. 1693 Col. William Smith's estate, also on the south shore, was erected into the Manor of St. George [Thompson, op. cit., 2:304]. Ten weeks later, on 20 Dec., Col. Smith sold to John Wood 100 acres, now in his tenure, on a certain neck in the Manor of St. George [Pelletreau, Hist. of Long Island, 2:266] and on the same day leased him certain land in Brookhaven, rent payable at the mansion house of the grantor in the Manor of St. George [Suffolk County Deeds A:146]. On 25 Jan. 1693/4 Col. Smith sold to Timothy Brewster land in the Old Field he had bought of John Wood [Brookhaven Rec. B:312]. On 2 July 1700 Col. Smith "at my Manner of st. Georges" guaranteed in writing planting rights to the posterity of certain Indians; his two witnesses were Richard Woodhull and John Wood, John signing by the mark he always used, "I W" [ibid. B:359]. On 12 July 1701 Moses Owen sold land in Brookhaven bounded by Thomas Biggs, Jr., George Wood, dec'd, and John Wood, "late of the Manor of St. George, dec'd" [Suffolk Co. Deeds A:108]. This, we think, leaves no doubt as to the identity of John Wood of the Manor of St. George.

George. Of George Wood we will say only that he was given 40 acres of land as his share; that he figures in a dozen Brookhaven records as dealing in land or livestock; and that we found no mention of his having wife or children. One item under his name is of extreme interest: On 24 Feb. 1681, after agreeing in writing to accept the patrimony offered him, he added, "alsoe the saide gorg woo(d) doth ingaege to pay a legesie of seven pounds ten shillens to his sister mary pereage," signing by his mark, "I." Six months later, his brother John signed a similar pledge: "I underwritten doe oblige my selelfe my haieres and assignes to pay... the some of seven pounds tenn shillens for the proper use of mary perage in good marchents pay it being part of her porsion" and on the same paper George repeated his former pledge, signing (this one time) not by mark

"I" but by a printed capital E facing backward [Brookhaven Rec. B: 64-5, 85-6].

Mary. Knowing that Mary's married name was Peragee and that she lived in Lyme as a child, we feel sure that her husband was Robert Peragee of Lyme, whose wife is known to have been named Mary. He was much her senior, a mariner long at home in both Boston and Saybrook. For data on the Peragee or Perigo family, see the Torrey Collection at the New England Hist. Gen. Society and Jacobus, The Cranberry Family (1945), p. 291-2. By an earlier wife Robert had sons Ezekiel (b. 1658) and Robert and a daughter Sarah who married in 1683 John Royce of Norwich. In 1672 he had land laid out for him in Saybrook. He probably married Mary Wood soon after. Their four children were born at Lyme between 31 Mar. 1674 and 30 Oct. 1683, the last one being posthumous, Robert having died on 18 Apr. 1683. Mary married second, on 15 Apr. 1685, Henry Peterson of Lyme, by whom she had a daughter Sarah, born 20 Oct. 1686, who married Capt. Henry Champion, son of Henry and Susannah (DeWolf). Mary was alive as late as 11 Oct. 1703 when she assented to a deed [Lyme Deeds 2:310].

Ann, evidently named for her mother, on 29 July 1679 married John Tooker, Jr., son of John and Sarah of Brookhaven [Brookhaven Rec. B:3]. Three months later Henry and Ann Rogers deeded to John and Ann Tooker a 5-acre lot in the little neck, 5 acres in the Old Field, and some other parcels of land, "and this is in consideration of a legesse that the said Henry Rogers was to pay to the said Hannah the wife of the above said John Tooker" [ibid. B:19]. In 1685 John and Anna Tooker sold their home lot and house in Brookhaven and removed to Southold [ibid. B:241, 269].

JOHN² WOOD, brother of George of Southampton, Saybrook and Setauket, probably lived some years in Hempstead [see the reference to his household goods below]. His deserted wife and sons surely did so. We have long suspected (but cannot prove) that his wife Anna was the Anna Rogers baptized at Stratford-on-Avon 7 Mar. 1631, daughter of William and Anne (Hall), who were later at Hempstead [TAG, supra, 10:60]. She would be the Hannah of her mother's will [N.Y. Record 60:102]. This Anna had brothers Jonathan and Obadiah, which would explain why she named a son Jonathan and why the latter's descendants carried forward the name Obadiah. William Rogers soon left Hempstead, but his property there remained in the family for three generations [Hempstead Rec. 3:178], though no one named Rogers seems to have occupied it. What more likely than that a daughter and

her family should do so? Here are two items about Anna: "Bee it known unto all Men by these presents, That I, Anna Wood the wife of John Wood formerly of Rode Island, Doe hereby give and bequeath unto John Smith of Hempstead (for Distinction Sake called Rock) my welbelovd Sonne Jonathan Wood (who will bee about ye twenty ninth of September next ensuing the date hereof ffoure years old) for his owne to live and abide with him or his heires untill hee come to bee twenty one yeares of age. And the said John Smith Doth likewise hereby Ingage himselfe and his heires to Deale wth her Son as with his owne And to provide for him during the time hee abideth with him, meat, Drink, lodging and apparrell Convenient and Sufficent for him, even as for his owne, And Doth likewise Ingage when his time is expired, to furnish him with two good suits of Apparrell fitted to his body, and to give him one Cowe at his going away, provided that hee abide with him the full term of the time above specified. But in case that ye said Anna Wood or her Husband shall see cause within a twelvemonth and a Day from ye day of ye date hereof, to take away their Sonne from the said John Smith, they shall have their liberty so to do, Provided that they Defray and Discharge all such Charges and expences as the said John Smith hath been at in maintaining of him with food and Apparrell or other necessaries. In witnes whereof both parties Do hereunto mutually subscribe their hands, this 21st day of August, in ye yeare of our Lord Christ one thousand Six hundred Sixty two, Stilo Novo.

In presence of	her
John Tredwell	Anna x Wood
Jonas Houldsworth	mark
[Hempstead Rec. 1:128-9]	John x Smith
	his

"Warrant to the Magistrates of fflushing, for ye restoring of the wife of John Wood

"Whereas, I am informed that Ann the wife of John Wood, of Road Island, is and hath been for ye space of about two years past, harboured by Thomas Styles, of the town of Flushing, who in her absence from her Husband hath had two children (by her). These are to require you to make inquiry into the business, and to prevent further Scandall, that you cause the said Ann to be restored to her Husband, with what goods are in the Custody of Thomas Styles, belonging to the said John Wood, or his wife, and for so doing this shall be your warrant. Given under my hand at ffort James, in New York, this 6th day of December, 1664.

	Richard Nicholls"
To the Magistrates of Flushing	[Governor]
upon Long Island	
[H.R. Stiles, <u>Stiles Genealogy</u> (1895), p. 36]	

*4-16-48?
b. 1653
John Wood III
(was Sd in 1680)*

John and Anna had a son John, older than Jonathan, who lived and died on the Island; and John had a still older son, Henry, surely by an earlier wife, who left when the father did. We will give such data for each of these sons as Long Island records provide:

Jonathan. He was still of Hempstead some years after his term of service there expired. In 1683 he failed to report his property valuation, as did thirty other Hempstead men. The assessors estimated his as £18 [L. I. Rates p. 528]. By 1692 he had married Mercy Banbury, daughter of Edward and Mercy of Hempstead. He may have been married before, for in one deed Mercy is described as his "now wife."

Jonathan's brother John had been living in Oyster Bay for many years; his wife's brother Edward was living there too; and by December 1687 her widowed mother had married John Davis of Oyster Bay. In 1692 Jonathan and Mercy followed. These three families—the Woods, the Banburys, and the Davises—from now on seem to have worked closely in concert, both while they remained at Oyster Bay and after they all removed to New Jersey. They deeded to each other and witnessed, inventoried, and went bond for each other again and again.

A word must be said about the wives of John Davis. He surely married (probably about 1671/2) Hannah Lattin, born 1649. If, as descendants feel sure, he in 1680 married Dorothea Gotherson, Mercy Banbury must have been a third wife. It was certainly Mercy, not Dorothea, who signed deeds with John Davis when he sold out in Oyster Bay in 1704. Perhaps Hannah was mother of Isaac and Gabriel and their sisters, and Dorothea mother of John, David, and Malachi, ??and another Isaac.

We will quote from two of the many Oyster Bay deeds: 6 May 1692: "I Edward Banbury of Littleworth in ye Bounds of Oysterbay...in ye considⁿ of my Naturall Love and Affection to Mercy Wood ye wife of Jonathan Wood my Naturall Sister...Have Given...unto my Sd Sister Mercy Wood my Home Lott at Littleworth aforesd Containing ffive Acres of Land or thereabouts & four Acres of Land Joyning to it; (wch four Acres is part of a Ten Acre Lott ye other part thereof was form^{lly} Joseph Suttons but now belongeth to John Davis) wth all ye Apple-trees....ffences....; both wch parcels of Land were formerly in ye Tenure & occupation of Robert Godfry then John Davis but now it Belongeth to me ye Sd Edward....."

The marke of
Edward x Banbury

Signed Sealed & dd in p^rsence of us

John Newman

John Davis

The R marke of John Rogers

[Oyster Bay Rec. 2:14-15]

On the same day Jonathan Wood (his mark x) witnessed when John Davis deeded to his stepson, Edward Banbury [Ibid. 2:20].

25 July 1692: "I John Wood of New Worke in ye Bounds of Oyster Bay...in ye Considⁿ of ye Sume of ffourty four Shillings of Current Silver money of this Collony In hand pd & by me ye Sd John reed of my Brother Jonathan Wood of ye same place...do give, Grant, Infeoffe, Sell & Confirme unto Jonathan Wood aforesd a Certaine parcel of Land wch is part of my Land at New Worke aforesd & bounded on ye East wth Joseph Carpenters Land on ye North wth Muskeeto Cove Line & on ye South & west wth ye Sd John Woods Land...Containing in Quantity Eleven Acres or Somew^t more

Signed Sealed & dd in p^rsence of us

John Newman

The marke x of

The marke W of William Wood

John Wood"

Samuel Weeks

[Ibid. 2:15-16]

[William Wood was probably son of William² of Dartmouth and first cousin to John and Jonathan.]

On 29 Sept. 1694 Jonathan and Mercy Wood for £23 sold their four parcels of land in Oyster Bay [Oyster Bay Rec. 1:516-18] and removed to Cohansey, then in Salem County, N.J. They were not going entirely among strangers, for Jonathan's aunt, Elizabeth (Wood-Wheaton) Bowen, with her husband, Samuel Bowen, and her Wheaton children, had in 1687 joined with a group of Welsh Baptists of Swansea, Mass., and migrated to Cohansey, where the Bowens gave their name, still held, to Bowen-town [Shourds, Fenwick's Colony, p. 422]. Jonathan Wood's home was on Stow Creek [N.J. Archives, 23:519]. The Banburys and Davises followed after waiting ten years before selling out [Oyster Bay Rec. 3:36, 45-6, 55-9]. Gabriel Davis and the Banburys settled in Cohansey; most of the Davises made their home 20 miles to the north at Piles Grove. The Davises were Quakers, but John had crossed the ocean with the Bowens and other Welsh Baptists back in 1663, it is said.

John III ✓

John, brother of Jonathan, was probably the John Wood of Hempstead who in 1670 was sued for debt by John Story of Flushing [Hempstead Rec. 1:365]. He was already of Oyster Bay when on 24 Aug. 1680 Isaac Doty deeded him four acres there for a home lot, a gift deed [Oyster Bay Rec. 1:125]. In 1685 he joined with others in buying Matinecock land of the Indians [Ibid. 1:535]. In 1692, as we have seen, he sold to his brother. He died about 1693, as the following item shows: 7 July 1693. "I Richard Willitts of Jerico alias Lusum in ye Bounds of Oysterbay...ffor & in Considⁿ of ye Love & kindness I had to John Wood Late of Little worth in ye Bounds of Oysterbay aforesd deceased, and yt he ye Sd

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John at ye Day of his death left behind him ffive Sons and but a small quantity of Land for their accomodation when they Shall come to yeares to Settle themselves... do give...unto ye fforementioned ffive Sons of ye Sd John Wood that is to say John, James, Jeremiah, Jonathan, & William all that of my part, Share or purchasers right of ye Upland upon West Neck at ye South of Oysterbay aforesd being ye eighteenth part of Sd Neck, ...And ye Said Richard hath put them ye Sd five Brethren into a Lawfull & peaceable possession of all & Singular ye Sd granted p'mises by ye Delivery of Turff & Twigg...." The witnesses were John and William Fry and John Newman. [Ibid. 1:536-7.]

The sons John and James became active participants in Oyster Bay life, as the town records show. (But why did the indexer of those records list them as "sons of Jonas Wood"? Nowhere in the text are they so called.) It is quite possible, but not proven, that the son Jeremiah was the pioneer Jeremiah Wood for whom Woodstown (near Piles Grove) was named. The son Jonathan seems to appear just once in the town records, when in 1707 he witnessed for Joseph Coles, signing by his mark "J". Of the son William we found no trace at all.

Henry, probably oldest son of John² Wood, we found mentioned only once in Long Island records. He was of Hempstead. Under the heading "1657 edward sprages number of Cattell kept by him in the neck" are listed the names of 23 men and the number of cattle each had in the herd kept by Sprage. The twelfth entry is: "henry wood fife" [Hempstead Rec. 1:18]. There is evidence that Henry was with his father in 1662, after the latter had returned to Rhode Island. Years later Henry left Newport and he, too, migrated to New Jersey, settling at "Hopewell," where the city of Camden stands today.

THOMAS² WOOD of Swansea, Mass., was never, like his brothers George and John, a resident of Long Island, in so far as any records show; but we are sure his son Thomas was such, at first probably as a transient, but for a few years as a householder with his family. This we infer from the fact that Thomas, Jr., and his family were absent from Swansea in just the years that a Thomas Wood was a home owner in Oyster Bay. This, coupled with the fact that no genealogist of other Wood lines has laid claim to Thomas; and also with the fact that Thomas of Oyster Bay could write his name, as could also Thomas, Jr., of Swansea, makes us feel moderately sure that the Oyster Bay man is ours. We will sketch his life up to the time he left Long Island; but first we will give the birth data of his children, for these

have been basic to our whole assumption:

1. Patience 27 Feb. 1691 (Swansea V.R.)
2. William 15 Jan. 1693 (Swansea V.R.)
3. John 17 Jan. 1695/6
4. Thomas 2 Jan. 1697
5. James 28 Jan. 1699
6. Mary 6 Jan. 1701
7. David 12 May 1703 (Swansea V.R.)

Here E.D. Preston and the other very early Wood genealogists got the birth dates for John, Thomas, James, and Mary we do not know. They surely are not given in Swansea town records, to which we have had access.

Thomas Wood, Jr., grew up in Portsmouth, where his father owned two farms and, for a brief time, a third one also in Newport. When the lad was about 16, the family removed to Swansea, Mass., where his Aunt Elizabeth had just married into the Myles Company of Welsh Baptists, with whom John Davis of Oyster Bay is said to have crossed the sea.

- 1690 1 May Thomas married Hannah Rider
- 1692 29 Feb. At Oyster Bay Thomas witnesses for Widow Mary Cooper when she deeded to her son Robert (Oyster Bay Rec. 1:613). Thomas and Robert were of equal age, both born in 1664. The Coopers removed from Newport to Oyster Bay in 1690.
- 1692 19 May "To Tho: Wood & Ja: Weeks for (apprising) Ed: Higbees buildings 00:10:00" (Lloyd Family Papers 1:135).
- 1697 27 Mar. Thomas bought of Aaron and Susannah Forman for £10 "a Certaine Home Lott of Land" (Oyster Bay Rec. 2: 314-15).
- 1697 8 May Thomas gave Aaron Forman a statement in writing to the effect that if £6 was not paid by Dec. 1st and the remaining £4 by May 1st next ensuing, Forman was to have back his property (ibid. 2:298-9). A witness to the writing was Josias Lattin, brother-in-law of John Davis.
- 1698 30 Feb. (sic) Thomas Wood of Oyster Bay, house carpenter, for £20 and the building of their new house bought of Thomas and Elizabeth Youngs "the house and land where the said Thomas Wood now liveth (ibid. 2:218).
- 1700 6 Sept. Thomas Wood of Oyster Bay, house carpenter, for 13 shillings and other valuable considerations sold to William Bradford of Oyster Bay, Merchant, the house and land he bought of Thomas Youngs (ibid. 2:491).
- 1702 10 Mar. Thomas Wood witnessed for Richard and Joseph Willets. This is the latest entry of Thomas's name in Oyster Bay records (ibid. 2:636). Richard Willets was probably the Richard who ten years before made the gift deed to the five sons of Thomas Wood's cousin, John Wood of Oyster Bay, noted above.

WILLIAM² WOOD removed from Portsmouth, R.I., to Dartmouth, Mass. There is no evidence that he ever went to Long Island, but he had a son or sons who did so. It was his son William³ who probably witnessed when John³

Wood of Oyster Bay sold to his brother Jonathan², and who probably was the William Wood named in the "List of all ye Inhabitants of Hempstead" dated 31 Aug. 1698. That was the year William³ married a wife named Abigail [The Eardeley Coll. at Long Island Hist. Soc.]—was she a Hempstead girl? They soon removed to Dartmouth. Their son, William⁴, went to Long Island for a wife, marrying at Flushing on 14 May 1730 Keziah, daughter of Joseph Hedger [Haviland, Flushing Friends' Records].

Proof that William²'s son Joseph resided at Hempstead is found in two Bristol County deeds at Taunton, Mass. In the first of these deeds, dated 26 July 1715, "I Joseph wood of Hemsted in the Queens County on the Island of Nashaw Blacksmith for the Consideration of the Sum of Six pounds in Current money of new England to me in hand...paid by Ebenezer Tripp of Dartmouth" conveyed to the said Ebenezer three-sixteenths of a share of meadow not yet laid out [Bristol Co. Deeds 12: 73-4]. In a deed drawn up 22 years later, 18 May 1737, George Wood of Dartmouth, son of William², prefaced the instrument with these words: "whereas three Several pieces of Salt meadows or Sedge Laid out to George wood...did in right belong to Joseph wood Brother to the Said George But the Returns being made to the Said George of y^e whole & being not Divided between the... Brothers yet the Said Joseph wood having Sold the one half of all the abovesaid Meadow to Ebenezer Tripp as by a deed of the Same may appear bearing Date the twenty sixth Day of July 1715 now Know ye that I George wood of Dartmouth...do make over...to him the said Ebenezer Tripp..." and he conveyed to him the other half of the same meadow [ibid. 25:471]. These are Massachusetts deeds. Hempstead records seem to have but four items on this Joseph Wood:

- 1711 18 Oct. Joseph Wood of Hempstead Labourer for £44 bought 44 acres of the estate of Joseph Please, dec'd (2:431)
- 1715 9 Nov. Joseph Wood Blacksmith entered his earmark (2:234)
- 1720 20 Jan. Joseph Wood Blacksmith changed his earmark (2:249)
An undated item under this entry states: "This earmark of Joseph Wood blacksmith is Joseph Hall by consent of the above said Joseph Wood."
- 1739 26 Feb. Thomas Pearsall, Joseph Wood, and Richard Mott acted as arbitrators in a dispute between an apprenticed blacksmith and his master (3:220-1).

In our study we have shown that John¹ Wood of Rhode Island had two sons and nine grandsons who lived at least for a time on Long Island. They were: George² and his sons Jacob, John and George; John² and his sons John, Jonathan and Henry; Thomas²'s son Thomas; and William²'s sons William (probably) and Joseph.

ENGLISH ANCESTRY OF THE READING FAMILY OF NEW JERSEY

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The Reading family of New Jersey descends from Col. John Reading and his wife Elizabeth who were living in West New Jersey about 1680. They were married 22 Feb. 1682; it is not known whether they were married abroad or in America. They had four children:¹ Elizabeth, born 5 June 1684, died 22 June 1692; John (generally known as President Reading or Governor Reading), born 1 June 1686, died 7 Nov. 1767; Mary, born 26 Sept. 1688, died 27 Feb. 1732 (married Capt. Daniel Howell); and Sarah, born 26 Aug. 1691. Col. John Reading's wife Elizabeth died 20 Jan. 1714, aged 57. Her husband, Col. John Reading, was born, as will be shown, 14 July 1657. He died in October 1717 and according to tradition was buried, as was his wife, in the Buckingham Friends Meeting Cemetery, Buckingham, Bucks County, Pa. Gov. John Reading was married, 30 Nov. 1720, to Mary daughter of George Ryerson of Bergen County, N.J. Their eldest daughter, Ann Reading, was baptized 21 July 1723 and died 22 March 1768; she married the Rev. Charles Beatty whose Journal makes possible the identification of Col. Reading's parents.

In 1898 Josiah Granville Leach published the most complete record of the Reading family to date.² Although Mr. Leach's record of the descendants of Colonel Reading is valuable, his comment upon the conjectural English background of the family is misleading. In this paper I plan to clarify this background somewhat, to make further conjectures, and to lay the foundation for future investigations that I hope someone may make.

Among Mr. Leach's conjectures were, that Colonel Reading was of gentle birth, that he was perhaps from Ireland or from London [he may have been in London for a time], that Daniel Reading who was associated with him in West New Jersey was his father or his brother, that Colonel Reading was not a Quaker, and that he must have been at least 21 years of age in 1677. I am now able to show that Colonel Reading was of good yeoman birth, that he was the son of John and Mary Reading, Quakers, of Pipe Hill, Lichfield, Staffordshire, England, and that he was born 14 Sept. 1657. Whatever his religious affiliation was when he came to America, he was born a Quaker. His ancestors back to 1470 were yeomen, prosperous until the English Civil War, when they were impoverished by sacrificing their property to aid the cause of King Charles I. There are many puzzling details in the background, which will be indicated at the end of my article, with suggestions as to possible ways of clarifying them.

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 the same perversity of spelling the name, Whod, leaves uncertain what to call it, by w. Amy had Martha, b. 2 May 1676. WILLIAM, the valu. author of New England's Prospect, London 1634, may well be thot. that freem. of 18 May 1631; but more prob. is it, that he was sett. at Lynn, as early as 1630, as claim. by Lewis. He prob. came to Salem, 1629, and 15 Aug. 1633 left our country, as his book relates. That was print. 1634, and it is conject. by Shattuck, wh. would magnify the honor of Concord by so respectab. a citizen, that he came again to our side of the water, and d. at C. aft. many yrs. resid. 14 May 1671, aged 86. For a William this is well vouch. Lewis has better appear. of proof in p. 84, of his sec. Ed. quot. Wood's words of *minute* descript. of Lynn river; beside wh. the fact of one of this name being rep. at the Gen. Ct. Mar. 1636, when he was chos. either for Salem or Lynn, bef. any one came from C. with the resid. at Sandwich 1643, so large a proport. of the first inhab. of S. having gone from L. are no slight object. to the hopes of Shattuck. Still the fame of Bulkley may have drawn him from S. where we never hear of him more. One Miriam whose f. we kn. not, was b. 8 May 1648, bur. next day; and Mary was b. 29 Mar. 1649, both at S. One WILLIAM came, 1635, in the Hopewell, Capt. Babb, a husbandman, aged 27, with Eliz. 24, wh. may have been his sis. or w. and John, 26, bef. ment. prob. his br. and it is clear, that if this be the author (wh. I neither affirm nor deny), two points decide against the Concord claim to him; for at C. w. of William d. 1 Sept. 1659, was call. Margaret; and the passeng. in the autumn of 1635 on the Hopewell, must have been b. 1608, while Shattuck's client could not have come into our world aft. 1585; or, if his faculties were not weaken. when he made his will, 15 Sept. 1670, reckon. hims. as 88 yrs. old, still earlier was his advent. At C. no ch. was b. to him; but he had ch. perhaps all, certain most. b. in Eng. Michael; Ruth, wh. m. Thomas Wheeler; and Abigail, wh. m. 24 Mar. 1667, Stephen Hosmer. The will names, beside Michael, Ruth and her h. the gr.d. Abigail Hosmer. WILLIAM, Portsmouth, R. I. m. Martha, d. of the first Ralph Earle. WILLIAM, Marblehead 1668, had perhaps William, both old eno. to sign the petition to the Gen. Ct. that yr. and was liv. 1678. WILLIAM, Ipswich, took the o. of fidel. 1678. WILLIAM, Newtown, L. I. 1640-1686, may have come from Stamford, Conn. WILLIAM, Ipswich, s. of Isaiah, d. 27 Sept. 1689, prob. un. as he nam. no ch. but did sev. brs. and sis. WILLIAM, Salem vil. now Danvers, freem. 1690. Gr. in 1834 were count. by Farmer, thirteen at Dartm. twelve at Harv. five at Yale, and ten at other N. E. coll. Woods are unit. as Wood.

WOOD, or WOODS, ABIEL, Middleborough, s. of Henry, m. 1683, Abiah Bowen, had Elnathan, b. 14 Apr. 1686; Abiah, 20 Feb. 1689; Abiel, 19 Mar. 1691; Timothy, 13 Oct. 1693; Jerusha, 11 Nov. 1695; Ebenezer, 4 Aug. 1697; Judah, 28 July 1700; and Thomas, 30 Jan. 1703. With his w. he was among the found. of the first ch. at M. 1694; and d. 10 Oct. 1719; and his wid. d. 21 May 1746, aged 83. ABRAHAM, Concord, s. perhaps eldest of Michael of the same, was freem. 1690. ANTHONY, Ipswich 1665, m. 1 June 1666, Mary Grover, perhaps d. of Edmund of Salem, had William, b. 20 Mar. 1667. CONSIDER, New London, by Miss Caulkins is mark. as hav. a gr. of ld. 1648, but forfeit. for non-resid. CONSTANT, a passeng. aged 12 yrs. in the Abigail from London, 1635, and there might seem some grounds for suspect. that he was the same as preced. DANIEL, Ipswich 1643, d. 1648. DANIEL, Rowley, rem. to Boxford, freem. sw. 22 Mar. 1690, and again in Oct. foll. if the Col. rec. be true, yet possib. the solemnity may have been for f. and s. by w. Sarah, wh. d. 27 Sept. 1714, had David, b. 1670; Daniel; John; and others, as Barry says. EDMUND, Springfield 1636, rem. to Wethersfield that yr. thence to Stamford 1641, and next, in few yrs. more to Hempstead, L. I. and may again have rem. EDWARD, Charlestown, was adm. to join the ch. 30 Mar. 1640, freem. 13 May foll. and his w. Ruth join. in few days. She perhaps had Ruth, and certain. Tabitha, bapt. 30 May 1641; d. 29 Aug. 1642, and he d. 27 Nov. foll. In Geneal. Reg. III. 81, the date of inv. would perhaps appear 4 Dec. aft. Farmer was led to mistake the name of the Springfield Edmund for Edward, and so to think he might be s. of this man. An EDWARD of Boston, mariner in 1659, had w. Eliz. and no more is kn. ELEAZER, Medfield, youngest ch. of Nicholas of the same, was struck down, when his br. Jonathan, 21 Feb. 1676, was k. by the Ind. wh. scalp. him, and suppos. he was d. yet he reviv. in a good degree, and some yrs. aft. m. Dorothy, perhaps d. of George Badcock of Milton, had Dorothy; Hannah, b. 11 Feb. 1689; and Abigail, 25 Nov. 1692; and he liv. to 20 May 1704, with occasional mental aberr. ELIAS, ELLICE, or ELLIS, Dedham, by w. Catharine had Mehitabel, b. 17 June 1658; Abigail, 19 July 1660; and his w. d. 29 May 1663. He took for sec. w. Miriam, wid. of John Smith of D. wh. was the school-mistress many yrs. and d. 19 Oct. 1706, aged 73. The ludicrous solemnity of the gr.-st. inscript. is happily preserv. in Geneal. Reg. IV. 277. He rem. to Dorchester, where he was freem. 1673 and liv. 1692. GEORGE, Saybrook 1660, m. that yr. but the name of his w. is not seen; had George, b. 28 Sept. 1661, and prob. rem. HENRY, Plymouth 1643, m. a. 1645, Abigail, d. of John Jenny, rem. to Yarmouth, had Sarah;

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Savage does not mention "gr." Anthony or even Lt. John. (He has 10 sons)

Samuel, b. 25 May 1647; went back to P. there had John, 1649; Jonathan, 1 Jan. 1650; David, 17 Oct. 1651; Isaac, 1654; and Abiel; and perhaps more ch. d. at Middleborough; but the time of his d. is not seen, bec. the jnr. ment. in Geneal. Reg. VII. 235 is defic. in date. His d. Sarah m. 28 Nov. 1667, John Nelson. HENRY, Concord, by w. Ellen had John, b. 17 Nov. 1651; Mary, 7 Sept. 1653; Hannah, 11 Mar. 1656; and Milcent, 4 Apr. 1660. Usually his name is Woods; and I presume he rem. to Groton, was quarter-master of the troop of W. Middlesex cavalry in 1671. HENRY, Newport, by w. Hannah had Henry, b. 24 Nov. 1670; Abigail, 15 Aug. 1672; James, 9 Nov. 1674; Hannah, 25 Sept. 1677; Richard, 28 Oct. 1679; and Eliz. 9 Jan. 1682. It ought to be add. that the rec. spells this name as Whod, and possib. that may mean Hood. ISAAC, Marlborough, s. of John of Sudbury, of wh. from Barry I learn, that by two ws. he had Isaac, Joseph, Charles, Solomon, Dinah, Mary, and Eliz. and that his will was pro. 17 Aug. 1720. Sewall's Diary, as giv. in Geneal. Reg. VI. 72, says under 1685, July 4, "Isaac W. dies suddenly." Perhaps this was some young man, fellow-worship. with S. but my knowledge is limit. by him. ISAIAH, Ipswich 1668, then said to be 41 yrs. old, m. 26 Jan. 1653, Mercy, d. of Simon Thompson of the same, had Mary, b. 31 Oct. 1653; Simon, 18 Feb. 1655; Thomas, Nov. 1656, d. in 5 mos.; Sarah, Jan. 1658, d. next mo.; Samuel and Isaiah, tw. 20 July 1659, of wh. Isaiah d. soon; Joanna, 14 Dec. 1661; William, 18 Feb. 1664; Sarah, again, 26 Dec. 1665; Thomas, again, 31 Jan. 1668; Thompson, 18 Feb. 1670; John, Feb. 1672, d. soon; Joseph and Benjamin, tw. 22 May 1673, both d. soon; and Ebenezer, 3 Dec. 1676, d. in 3 wks. He m. 23 Dec. 1684, for sec. w. wid. Hannah Wheeler, but prob. had no more ch. JAMES, on L. I. 1649. JAMES, Marlborough, s. of John of Sudbury, was in garrison of serg. Wood, prob. his f. in 1675, freem. 1690, had w. Hopestill. JEREMIAH, Stamford 1641, went to Hempstead, L. I. perhaps was br. of Edmund, or William, or of both. JOHN, Saybrook, employ. by the younger John Winth. was k. by the Pequots, as appears in Conn. Col. Rec. I. 29, prob. in 1637. JOHN, Sudbury, pinmaker, wh. seems an odd trade for a wilderness pioneer; by w. Mary had John, b. 8 May 1641; perhaps Francis, 1645; James, 18 July 1647; Catharine; Isaac, 14 July 1655; beside Hannah, prob. the oldest ch. wh. m. 7 June 1665, John Leavins of Roxbury, and d. early, leav. Hannah nam. in the will of her gr.f. He d. 10 July 1678, and his wid. d. 1690, aged 80, says Barry. In Oct. 1675 he was, I suppose, the serg. in one of the Marlborough garrison houses, as John, James, and Isaac, his s. were there also. JOHN, Lynn 1635, passeng. in the Hopewell, Capt. Babb, late in the autumn of that yr. aged 26, br. possib. of William, the author of N. E.

Prospect, freem. 13 May 1640, ar. co. 1642, may have been at Salem 1646. JOHN, Dorchester, freem. 10 May 1643, perhaps rem. JOHN, Plymouth 1643, of wh. gladly would I learn more than that his s. John was b. 4 Mar. 1650; and Nathaniel, 25 Feb. 1652; and Isaac, 27 Feb. 1654; Sarah, Abigail, Mercy, Eliz. and Hannah; beside that Mary wh. m. 11 Dec. 1661, Rev. John Holmes, wh. must have been b. long bef. either of the others, of wh. it is strange to find neither in Windsor, nor any other author, a precise report. His d. Sarah m. 13 Feb. 1668, John Fallowell; and his own name is sometimes mistak. for that of Atwood. JOHN, Newport, on the list of freem. 1655. JOHN, Taunton, sw. in 1662, as witness to a nuncup. will, that he was 42 yrs. old. JOHN, New London 1660, s. perhaps of the first John, as Miss Caulkins in her Hist. shows, 324, m. prob. Mary, d. of Walter Buddington. JOHN, Dorchester, m. Eliz. d. of Richard Hall. JOHN, Marlborough, prob. eldest s. of John of Sudbury, by w. Lydia had John, b. 1670; Lydia, 1672; Hannah, 1677; Joseph, d. soon; Joseph, again, 1682; Sarah, 1685; Silence, 1689; Benjamin, 1691; and James, 1694; serv. under his f. in the garrison ho. Oct. 1675, was constable 1677, and deac. prob. that freem. of 26 Mar. 1691, exult. in the title of ens. JOHN, Ipswich, m. 1 May 1676, Mary Healey, had Margaret, b. Sept. 1679; Mary, 19 Dec. 1681; and he d. 14 Aug. 1684. JOHN, Concord, s. prob. of Michael of the same, freem. 1690. JONAS, Springfield 1636, rem. early to Wethersfield, sett. at Stamford 1641, unless this settlem. refer rather to Weed, and in few yrs. was of L. I. at Hempstead, prob. under patent of 1644, bef. 1654 was of Southampton, and in few yrs. was a commiss. under the jurisdic. of Conn. there. JONATHAN, Shireborn, as that part of Medfield has bec. elder s. of Nicholas of the same, had only posthum. d. appropri. call. Silence, as she was b. the day aft. the fall of her f. (and a few hrs. bef. d. of her mo.) He was k. in Philip's war, 21 Feb. 1676, tho. not prob. a soldier. JOSEPH, Taunton, m. 1 Jan. 1680, Esther Walker, d. of James of the same. JOSIAH, Charlestown, m. 28 Oct. 1657, Lydia Bacon, d. perhaps of Michael the sec. had Josiah, b. 10 Oct. 1658; Lydia, 23 Nov. 1659, d. next mo.; Lydia, again, prob. 1662, both bapt. 6 July 1662, the w. hav. join. the ch. on preceed. Sunday; Samuel, 12 Nov. 1671; Joseph, 27 Dec. 1674; and Ruth, 4 June 1676. JOSIAH, Ipswich, br. of Obadiah of the same, m. 23 Dec. 1684, a wid. whose name I cannot make out, but kn. no more of him. JOSIAH, Woburn, s. of the first Josiah, by w. Abigail had Josiah, b. 31 Aug. 1687; Lydia, 1 May 1689; Abigail, 10 Sept. 1691; Samuel, 10 Dec. 1693; Joseph, 25 Apr. 1696, d. at 17 yrs. in Geneal. Reg. II. 387, mispr. 57 yrs.; Solomon, 23 Jan. 1699, d. at 9 mos.; and Ruth, 4 Jan. 1702. MARK, one of the soldiers in Turner's comp. 1676, was

of Charlestown, prob. had m. 2 Feb. 1665, Eliz. d. of Nathaniel Hancock of Cambridge. MICHAEL, Concord, s. of William of the same, freem. 13 May 1640, had Abigail, b. 10 Apr. 1642; and Shattuck gives him other ch. Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, Thompson, or Thomas, and John, as left by him, at his d. 13 May 1674. Next mo. his wid. Mary brot. inv. Abigail m. Stephen Hosmer. NATHANIEL, a passeng. in the Increase from London, 1635, aged 12 yrs. of wh. no more is heard, nor can any indicat. be seen, exc. that in the same ship came Eliz. aged 38, wh. may have been his mo. NATHANIEL, Ipswich, took the o. of fidel. 1678. NATHANIEL, Groton, prob. s. of the first Samuel, by w. Alice had Nathaniel, b. 19 Oct. 1694; Daniel, 10 Aug. 1696; John, 4 Mar. 1698; Isaac, 20 Feb. 1700; Bathsheba, 5 Apr. 1702; Hannah, 16 Mar. 1704; Phebe, 13 Feb. 1706; Aaron, 26 May 1707; Moses, 6 July 1709; Reuben, 11 Apr. 1711; Phebe, again, 13 Mar. 1713; and Jonathan, 4 June 1716. NICHOLAS, Dorchester, had liv. at Braintree, when freem. 2 June 1641, and there m. Mary, d. of Robert Williams of Roxbury, as Mr. Clapp assures me, had Mary and Sarah, tw. b. 25 Dec. 1642 as the Roxbury rec. in Geneal. Reg. VI. 377, 8, affirms, tho. Clapp claims him as early as 1640 to be overseer of Glover's farm until 1654. He had also Hannah. In 1645, he was one of the petitrs. for Pumham's ld. to be gr. to them. Farmer, relying on a passage in Hutch. I. supposes he was of Medfield 1656, and there he certain. was soon aft. and also earlier. Records at M. give to him and w. Mary, Jonathan, b. 3 Jan. 1652, wh. was k. by the Ind. 21 Feb. 1676; Mehitabel, 22 July 1655, wh. m. 17 Oct. 1671, Joseph Morse; Abigail, 13 Sept. 1657; Bethia, 28 July 1660; and Eleazer, 14 Mar. 1662; and his w. d. 19 Feb. foll. and he d. 7 Feb. 1670. His d. Hannah m. 26 Nov. 1665, John Harding, but d. bef. her f. In his will of 16 Jan. 1670, all the six ds. are nam. of wh. Hannah was dec. and her s. Abraham, as well as the two s. are well provid. for, out of his ample est. Mary m. John Thurston; Sarah m. 4 Oct. 1660, deac. Thomas Bass of Braintree. Who was his sec. w. call. Ann in his will, or whether he had more ch. bef. or aft. is wholly unkn. ANO. NICHOLAS is nam. by Morse, as of Concord, but no more is told, than that he had Abigail, b. 10 Apr. 1642. OBADIAH, Ipswich 1649, a baker, by w. Margaret had a ch. b. 11 Apr. 1665; and Margaret, 28 June 1667, wh. d. the same yr. but the mo. d. next wk. By a sec. w. Hazabelponah, he had Obadiah, 5 June 1675; James, Nathaniel; Josiah; Samuel; Eliz.; Mary; Susanna; and Margaret; and he d. 3 Dec. 1694, leav. all these ch. and the wid. with the hard name. OBADIAH, a soldier wound. in Philip's war late in 1675; for whose cure the Conn. coun. made liberal paym. [see Col. Rec. II. 484], was of Hartford 1676, and perhaps s. of the

preced. had there bapt. Margaret, 1687; Abigail, 1699; and Margaret, again, 1705; and prob. others; but when he d. is not heard. RICHARD, Boston, ar. co. 1642, was capt. of that comp. 1677, and d. 23 Apr. 1681, leav. good est. the amount of inv. giv. in by his wid. Frances being £1,090, includ. 1,500 acres at Quinebaug at £30. He wrote his name Woodde, an unpleasant peculiarity, as it might be made into two syllab. and so confound. with Woody, a distinct fam. RICHARD, Hingham 1659, a witness with Thomas Lincoln the weaver, 10 Jan. 1660, to the nuncup. will of wid. Margaret Johnson; may have liv. at Marblehead, 1668, with s. of the same name. RICHARD, Norwalk 1694, may be the man, wh. d. at Wallingford, 1705, leav. wid. and d. Miriam. ROBERT, Dedham, d. 30 Dec. 1638. SAMUEL, Ipswich 1643. SAMUEL, Groton, one of the earliest, tho. not of the largest proprs. there, by w. Alice had Thomas, b. 9 May 1663; Eliz. 17 Sept. 1665; Nathaniel, 27 Mar. 1668; Mary, 2 Aug. 1670; Abigail, 19 Aug. 1672; and Hannah, 18 Sept. 1674; and he d. 29 Sept. 1703. SAMUEL, Danbury, a physician in the early days of that town, came from Eng. SAMUEL, Groton, by w. Hannah had Susanna; Rachel; Alice, b. 26 Sept. 1700; Abigail, 12 Sept. 1703; Esther, 13 Nov. 1705; Joseph, 21 June 1707; and Martha, 15 Apr. 1709. He was m. 1685 at Chelmsford. SAMUEL, Middleborough, s. of Henry of Plymouth, was one of the found. of the ch. 1694, had m. bef. 1679, w. Rebecca, by wh. he had Ephraim, Samuel, and perhaps others. SAMUEL, Rowley, s. of Thomas the first of the same, m. Margaret Elithorpe, prob. d. of the sec. Thomas of the same, had Thomas, b. 1689, and prob. others. SIMON, Ipswich, eldest s. of Isaiah of the same, m. 8 Aug. 1674, Eliz. Foster, had Eliz. b. 16 Aug. 1675, d. next mo.; Mary, 27 Dec. 1676; Jonathan, 6 Mar. 1678; Philemon, 4 Apr. 1679; Eliz. again, 15 Jan. 1683; Daniel, 12 June 1685; and William, 3 Jan. 1690. He had sec. w. Abigail, wh. d. 1 Oct. 1732, aged 67. STEPHEN, Plymouth 1643, had John, b. 1648; and Hannah, 14 Oct. 1649; in the will of John Dunham, 25 Jan. 1669, is call. his s.-in-law. THOMAS, Rowley 1655, by w. Ann had John, b. 1656; Thomas, 1658; Josiah, 1664; Samuel, 1666; Solomon, 1670; Ebenezer, 1671; James, 1674; and four ds. of wh. one m. the third Joseph Jewett, and next John Lunt. THOMAS, Rowley, s. of the preced. of wh. I find no acco. of m. or fam. THOMAS, Groton, prob. s. of Samuel the first, by w. Hannah had Esther, b. 29 July 1697; Josiah, 15 Sept. 1701; Eliz. 9 Nov. 1702; and Thomas, 25 Nov. 1705. TOMPSON, Ipswich, s. of Isaiah of the same, m. 8 Dec. 1691, Martha, d. of Isaac Foster, had Jemima, b. 18 May 1693, d. within twenty days. TRYALL, Salisbury, d. 11 June 1678, but we kn. not whether male or fem. ch. or adult. WALTER, Newport, perhaps br. of Henry, at least

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WOOD, WOODS, ATWOOD Wood family index 1966. See ATWOOD for Henry and John.

DANIEL Ipswich (Mass.) 1643, d by Mar 1649. *Ancestry of Dudley Wildes* 1959.

EDMUND (EDMOND) Roxbury (Mass.) 1635, Wethersfield 1636, Springfield 1636, Hempstead (L.I.), Smithtown 1650, Huntington 1651, d by 1669. *Descendants of Edmund Wood in America* 1949 (pamph in LC); *Wood family of England, Massachusetts, Connecticut* 1920 (pamph); tag 11:153 (son Jonas "Oram"), 11:204 (children); *Ancestry of Thomas Jefferson Wood* 1940 (pamph). #2410, 2702.

EDWARD Charlestown (Mass.) 1639, d there 29 9 mo 1642. Baker. Pope; tag 21:123 (son Thomas), 30:101; ner 123:230 n; *Descendants of Thomas Wood* 1884 (son, pamph); *Wood family Sackville N.B. line from Thomas* 1904 (son, pamph). #844 (son Thomas), 1354 (son Thomas).

HENRY (Atwood) Falmouth (Mass.) 1637, Plymouth 1643, d Middleborough by 30 Sept 1670. Proprietor. tag 24:188 (son James); ner 88:80 (line); Pope. #2877.

JOHN (Atwood) Came on "Mathew" 1635, Plymouth (Mass.) 1636, d there 1675/6. Proprietor. *Woode family* 1936; *Wood genealogy and other family sketches* 1937 (in LC); tag 41:200 (son Nathaniel); Pope.

✓ JOHN Newport (R.I.) 1643, Portsmouth 1648, d there by 17 Mar 1655. Freeman. *John Wood of Rhode Island and descendants* 1966; tag 20:119 n; 39:129 (family); ner 69:188 n; Austin, *Rhode Island*.

JOHN (Woods) Sudbury (Mass.) 1634, Marlborough 1663, d there 1690. Pin maker. Freeman. Town officer. ner 81:197 (line); Pope.

JONAS Hempstead (L.I.) 1644, Southampton ca 1650, drowned by 18 May 1660. Jonas called "Halifax" to distinguish from Jonas called "Oram" son of Edmund. tag 11:148, 202 (identity).

SAMUEL (Woods) Watertown (Mass.) 1653, Cambridge 1659, Groton 1662, Watertown 1676, Groton 1678, d there Jan 1717/8. Proprietor. ner 64:34 (desc).†

THOMAS d 1687 (now recognized as son of Edward).

WILLIAM Concord (Mass.) 1638, d 14 May 1671. *Descendants of William Wood* 1901*; tag 21:123 (caveat, not father of Thomas).

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WOOD, David & Mary (BARKER) (PRATT) COMBS, w Samuel, w Francis; 5 Mar 1684/5; Middleborough
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Wood, James	QNS 76	Wood, Jonathan	CLN 155	Wood, Ruth	RCH 91
Wood, James	QNS 83	Wood, Jonathan	DUT 98	Wood, Salmon	OTS 24
Wood, James	QNS 84	Wood, Jonathan	ESS 308	Wood, Samson	(free Negro) RNS 59
Wood, James	RCH 91	Wood, Jonathan	HRK 422	Wood, Samuel	CLN 160
Wood, James	ULS 212	Wood, Jonathan	QNT 172	Wood, Samuel	DUT 106
Wood, James Junr	ULS 217	Wood, Jonathan	ORN 193	Wood, Samuel	MYT 42
Wood, Jarvis	RCH 91	Wood, Jonathan	WST 127	Wood, Samuel	HRK 92
Wood, Jedediah	SUF 79	Wood, Jonathan	RCH 91	Wood, Samuel	MYT 93
Wood, Jediah	DUT 178	Wood, Jos	WST 127	Wood, Samuel	NYK 63
Wood, Jehiah	RNS 51	Wood, Josep	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	NYK 86
Wood, Jered	WSH 188	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	OND 218
Wood, Jeremiah	COL 250	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	ORN 284
Wood, Jeremiah	NYK 66	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	QNS 76
Wood, Jeremiah	SUF 87	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	QNS 78
Wood, Jesse	ALB 76	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	QNS 83
Wood, Jesse	DUT 34	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	RCH 89
Wood, Jesse	GRN 347	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	SRA 19
Wood, Jesse	GRN 356	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	SUF 79
Wood, Jesse	ORN 319	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	ULS 256
Wood, Jesse	ORN 365	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	WST 150
Wood, Job	OTS 4	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel D.	OTS 34
Wood, Jobe	WSH 203	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	NYK 31
Wood, Johia	ALB 139	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	WST 150
Wood, John	ALB 18	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	WST 150
Wood, John	ALB 112	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	WST 150
Wood, John	CAY 652	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	WST 150
Wood, John	COL 244	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	WST 150
Wood, John	DEL 284	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	WST 150
Wood, John	DUT 13	Wood, Joseph	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	WST 150
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Wood, John	ONT 432	Wood, Lydia	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	WST 150
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Wood, John	OTS 52	Wood, Moses	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	WST 150
Wood, John	OTS 75	Wood, Moses	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	WST 150
Wood, John	RCH 89	Wood, Nancy	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	WST 150
Wood, John	RCH 92	Wood, Nathan	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	WST 150
Wood, John	RCH 109	Wood, Nathan	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	WST 150
Wood, John	SRA 16	Wood, Nathan	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	WST 150
Wood, John	SCH 135	Wood, Nathan	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	WST 150
Wood, John	SCH 146	Wood, Nathl	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	WST 150
Wood, John	SUF 79	Wood, Nathaniel	WST 151	Wood, Samuel	WST 150

LIEUT. JOHN WOOD AND HENRY WOOD OF LITTLE COMPTON

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When the following search began, many had speculated about the parentage of Lieutenant John Wood (1664-1739) of Little Compton but no one, to my knowledge, had done so in print about the ancestry of Henry Wood who died there on 25 March 1758, except in a small, privately printed booklet seen at Newport Historical Society. Entitled *A Memorial to my Father and Mother William Richmond Atwood and Amery Ann Brownell*, on page 19 this Henry Wood is represented to be a son of John Wood and Mary Church, married in 1688, i.e. as a son of the above Lieutenant John Wood of Little Compton.

Henry is not, however, mentioned in the lieutenant's will dated 23 Jan. 1732/3, proved 18 March 1739, in which he leaves bequests to his wife Mary, son Joseph, daughter Mary wife of Thomas Baily, daughter Dorothy wife of Joseph Roggers, and grandsons and granddaughters who were children of daughter Hannah Peck. Eight other children were already deceased when this will was made. The original will, examined in Taunton, Massachusetts, shows: "Entered in the Ninth Book of Wills folio 380 381."

Further, Henry Wood was of Newport on 22 March 1704/5 when John Richmond sold him land in Little Compton for 120 pounds of silver money (Bristol County Deeds 5:28 f., in Taunton, Mass.) and so-called in a deed made the following day when Henry Wood sold two house lots in Little Compton to Thomas Burgis (*ibid.* 9:646). These are the earliest deeds found for Henry, and this is the March following the death of John² Wood of Newport in August 1704. Mary (Church) Wood would have been unusually young to have been the mother of a child born at that date. She was 21 when her first known child John was born in 1689.

A study of deeds and wills of Thomas³ Wood (1666-1729), son of John² Wood (John¹ of Portsmouth), who married Content ----- [Eugene D. Preston, *The Descendants of John Wood of Portsmouth*, R.I. [1916], p. 7, says: "Possibly Content Thurston. See Thurston Genealogy (1892), p. 518." If so, she would be the daughter of Edward and Elizabeth (Mott) Thurston and sister of Jonathan the father of Content Thurston who married Henry Wood, i.e., her aunt]; Lieutenant John Wood (1664-1739), who married Mary Church; and Henry Wood (d. 1758), who married a Content Thurston, led to the belief that they were closely related. Lieutenant John Wood is a witness to Henry Wood's deed from John Richmond; to Henry's deed to Thomas Burgis; and to a deed March 1707/8 to Henry Wood from Ben-

jamin and Alice Church (Bristol Co. Deeds 5:343 f.). Thomas Wood and John Wood both witness Henry Wood's deed in 1709 when he sells to Ichabod Williston (*ibid.* 495). Joseph Wood, son of Lieutenant John Wood, is witness to Henry Wood's will written 14 March 1758. Lieutenant John Wood takes inventory of Thomas³ Wood's estate in May 1729 and signs the will of Thomas³'s son, Thomas⁴ Wood, in August 1729 as a witness. And John Wood Jr., son of Thomas³ Wood, born 1666, witnesses the will of Lieutenant John Wood made in 1732/3.

We know the ancestry of Thomas³ Wood of Little Compton, for on 14 Nov. 1695, John² Wood of Newport gave a deed to his son Thomas³ of Little Compton to "two certain Lots of fifty acres each being the 6 and 7 Lots in Little Compton." These were part of the second purchase of land in Seaconnet (later Little Compton) made 1 Nov. 1673 by the Court of Plymouth representatives from three Indians named Mamanuah, Osmahen and Sucqua. We were able to identify the lots on what has come to be called the "Proprietor's map," a "Map of Little Compton, R.I.," the original made by Otis Wilbour, the Town Clerk of Little Compton, about 1850, and "Through the courtesy of the R. I. Historical Society and Mr. Henry I. Richmond, Printed by the Little Compton Historical Society in 1936." This deed is signed by mark by both John Wood and his wife Mary [Peabody]. See Newport Land Evidence Book 120, p. 20, section 2; also Bristol Co. Deeds 3: 457 f., where it is witnessed by Jonathan Thurston (who became Henry Wood's father-in-law), John Wood, and Elias Williams. The deed also appears in *Rhode Island Archives: Land Records 1671-1708*, 2:66, and here John signs as John Wood Jun^r. Each of the three witnesses signs his own name. The signature of John Wood Jr. is the writing of Lieutenant John Wood as on his will and other documents. Family tradition has always held that he was the son of John of Newport, and the facts just stated seem to bear this out. It can be fairly assumed that John Wood Jr. was brother to Thomas³ Wood and son of John² Wood of Newport.

Two questions had come to mind which, if answered, might give other clues to the paternity of Henry Wood and Lieutenant John Wood. First, where did Henry get the two house lots he sold to Thomas Burgis? Second, how did Joseph Wood, only surviving son of Lieutenant John Wood, receiving all of his father's estate, come into possession of the hundred-acre lot which he, Joseph, left to sons George and Isaac, fifty acres each, one fifty west of the highway down to the sea; the other east of the highway? This property was identified as the 31st great lot of the lots drawn at Duxbury on 10 April 1674. The land was part of the first purchase of land at Seaconnet made on the 11th day of the 12th month,

* Author later makes these corrections - see minor page 3, foot 4

1672, "between the brethern who are the proprietors and the three inheritors and possessors of the land--Osomew and Mamenenet and Pasotoquo." Lieutenant John Wood's house and farm were in the third purchase and consisted of four lots, one lot wide from the main road to the river with what is now Taylor's Lane on the north. The hundred-acre lot was across the present Taylor's Lane to the north.

On the "Proprietor's Map," this great lot is number 31 owned by Hugh Cole. On 25 Dec. 1677, Hugh Cole "of Swansey in the Collonie of New Plymouth in New England" sold this lot to John Wood "of Newport in the Collonie of Rhode Island and Providence Plantation." By the same deed Hugh Cole sold John Wood "the thirteenth lot containing [blank] bounded on the south by John Studson, on the North by Thomas Pinchen, and easterly by the highway; on the est by the Comon . . ." (Plymouth Colony Deeds 4, Part I, p. 169 [at Plymouth]. Also in Massachusetts Archives, Deeds 4:201 f., seemingly a copy of the original. This was the lot numbered 13 in the first division of house Lots in Little Compton. The drawing for these lots had been made 28 Aug. 1677, and an account of the drawing shows the 13th fell to Hugh Cole. The account is in the Office of the Town Clerk, Little Compton. Each of the 32 Proprietors who made up the Saconet Company (the owners of the hundred-acre lots called Great Lots drawn at Duxbury 10 April 1674) was entitled to draw, singly, two house lots.

On 1 Aug. 1683 John Wood of Newport bought the "eleventh lot in Number in the first division of house Lotts" from William Paybody of Little Compton (Plymouth Colony Deeds 5:230). It might be noted that this William Paybody, who married Elizabeth Alden, was for many years town clerk of Duxbury. If there was a connection between him and the John Peabody or Pabodie, father of John² Wood's wife Mary, I do not know it. House lots 15, 13 and 11 are contiguous, Lot 15 lying north of Lot 13 and Lot 11 just south of Lot 13. It was Lots 13 and 15 that Henry Wood sold to Thomas Burgis 23 March 1704/5. What became of Lot 11 is unknown.

Miss Bertha W. Clark (see her posthumously published *John Wood of Rhode Island and His Early Descendants on the Mainland* [1966]) speculated that John² Wood may have exchanged Lot 11 for Lot 15, and that quite possibly this was recorded at Newport and the record lost when the British destroyed or carried away records during the Revolutionary War. Scraps of many such Newport records have been recovered from a sunken ship and are now beautifully preserved at the Newport Historical Society. Inasmuch as John² Wood was a resident of Newport, this may have happened also to the probate of his estate, which has not been found. Still, a record

of the division of the estate of John Peabody, father-in-law of John² Wood, dated 20 April 1687, was rediscovered at the Newport Historical Society in 1963 under somewhat unusual circumstances (see *New England Hist. & Gen. Reg.* 117:96). Perhaps there is hope that additional records of the affairs of John² Wood may also one day appear. In the meantime, it seems not unreasonable to believe that these properties were received by inheritance and that John² Wood was not only the father of Thomas³ Wood but also of both Lieutenant John Wood and of Henry Wood, who seems to have removed from Newport to Little Compton at about the time of his marriage, 14 Sept. 1715, to Content Thurston. Their children are all recorded in Little Compton although he was of Newport as late as and perhaps later than 1709 when he bought land in Little Compton from Thomas Gray of that town (Bristol Co. Deeds 5:495). Other third-generation Woods in Little Compton were children of Thomas² Wood of Portsmouth and Swansea (John¹) by his third wife Rebekah: a son Jonathan³ Wood born 20 Nov. 1681 who married Elizabeth Thurston, sister of Content (Henry Wood's wife), and a daughter Hannah Wood who married Peter Taylor.

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- * iv. Alice, b. 10 Feb. 1650; d. 1734; m. 26 Dec. 1671 Abraham² Anthony.

- v. Frances, b. 6 July 1652; m. 23 Nov. 1669 John² Anthony.

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John¹ Wood, below, was not the John Wood of Lynn, Massachusetts Bay, as that man was still in Lynn 7 Sept. 1643. John Wood of Plymouth remained in that town until he died in 1695, having married Sarah Masterson there. The John Wood who came to New England with the Hull congregation in 1633 was only 20 at the time, and John Wood who emigrated on the *Hopewell* was only 26 in 1635.

Appreciation is due to Rhoda English Ladd of R.D. 3, Box 245, Wellsboro, PA 16901, for her extensive correspondence in 1987. Not all of the questions she raised about conflicting data have been fully resolved in the following presentation.

1. JOHN¹ WOOD, who may have been from Gloucestershire, England, was born some years before 1600, and died intestate [*R.I. Land Evidences*, 85] probably in Portsmouth, Rhode Island, before 7 May 1655.

It is possible that he was the John Wood, unidentified otherwise, who married at St. Saviour's, Southwark, London, 28 Jan. 1610/1, Margaret Carter. It is certain that John Wood of Portsmouth did have a first wife named Margaret, and it may be significant that Francis Kirby described John Wood as "my Cousen James Downeings acquaintance" in a letter to the Governors Winthrop, Sr. and Jr. James Downing was a son of Emanuel and Anne (Ware) Downing and stepson of Lucy¹ (Winthrop) Downing, Emanuel's second wife who was also the sister of Governor John¹ Winthrop of Massachusetts Bay as well as aunt of Governor John² Winthrop, Jr., of Connecticut. Furthermore, Francis Kirby was the second husband of Susanna (Downing) Carter, sister of Emanuel Downing and widow of a man named Carter, who might have been related to Margaret Carter.

Nonetheless, the Wood-Carter connection remains one of conjecture. It is known that John Wood's last wife, Elizabeth, was executrix of his estate, valued at £130, and Clark stated, without proof, that she later married Hugh Parsons (*q.v.*) [Clark, 11-12].

On the issue of John Wood's wives Mrs. Clark has confused the compiler somewhat. In one place it has been suggested that his surviving widow, Elizabeth, married next Hugh Parsons. Elsewhere it was stated that his second wife was Elizabeth but his widow was not named. Elizabeth may have been the widow of John Smith, Jr., of Taunton, Stamford and Maspeth, but if she was she was not John Smith, Jr.'s first wife. Perhaps her children, by John Smith, namely Elizabeth, born 1633, Samuel, born 1636, and Morris, were raised in John Wood's household but then returned to Long Island to take possession of their inheritances. At any rate, Mrs. Clark in the paragraph following these points again said that the widow Elizabeth married Hugh Parsons. It is known conclusively that, in their works, Austin, Doty and D.H. Carpenter incorrectly interpreted the will of Hugh Parsons, written in 1684, and identified his wife mistakenly as Elizabeth England.

Bertha W. Clark believed that John Wood may have been from Gloucester but was later a mariner from London, sometimes a ship's mate and sometimes master and part owner of ships, a buyer and seller of goods, lands and mortgages. This would account for his being able to bring a large, mature family to the colonies.

Clark quoted [pp. 2-3] a letter written by John² Winthrop, Jr., to his father in Boston, the letter having been written from Saybrook, "Quineticut May 16: 1636 Sir, John Wood being returned without any Corne I shall now desire that I may be supplied by the first shipping that arrive with any store or provisions with 10, or 13 hogsh[eads] of meale 5 or 6 hogsh[eads] of peas 2 or 3 barrells of oatmeale 2 hogsh[eads] of beife. For if we should want I see noe meanes to be supplied heere, and a little want may overthrow all our designe.

I sent home the *Bachelor* [italics added], and desire your helpe for her

disposing. I must of necessity have her returne here for I may shortly have much use of her: but I desire they may goe for shares and victuall them selves, which John Wood, and his company are willing to doe. I cannot find that the miscarriage of his voyage was through his default but Contrary winds therefore I am desirous he should and that Company goe still in her, so they will goe for shares and victuall themselves. The *Blessing* I would sell if any will buy her at 160 or 150 li. she Cost 145 besides some new saile, and rigging and a new Cable above 20 li. the Cable is speciall good, except you should foresee any occasion that she should rather be kept still; or if their be implyment to Sable for her; but if she continues still to goe upon any designe I desire she goe likewise for her share the men to find themselves, otherwise I would have her laid up at Boston till further ocaation. the men I desire should be discharged at soone as ever they Come ashore, and their wages be paid them: I thanke you for the bread you sent. you write of 800 but there is not above 300 and an halfe at most delivered, besides 100 they keepe still aboard the rest I cannot learne what be[c]ome of it but that it hath been wastfully spent: they had besides halfe an hogshhead of bread of their owne which was likewise spent and they were but [mutilated] eleven persons they say most of that tyme. [mutilated] for they pillaged her the tyme they had her to Salem pitifully that she hath neyther blockes nor braces nor running ropes, which the Belt Will sayth that mr. Holgrave outt [cutt?] them of he saw him. therfore I have agreed with John Wood Fredericke and George to take her to thirds. thus with my duty remembered I rest your obedient Son

John Winthrop

As it is known that George was John Wood's son, Mrs. Clark has assumed that "Fredericke" was too, although no other record of him has been found.

On 10 April 1637 Francis Kirby wrote from London to Mr. John Winthrop at his house in Ipswich, New England, that he had packed with care and given "the glasses and the water" to John Wood, a mate on the *Hector*.

In March 1640 John or Johannes Wodt or Wood leased Thomas Bescher's tobacco farm at Cowanus in western Long Island, in or near present Brooklyn, New York. No doubt he did not work the farm himself, but hired an overseer or left a son to run it, with black and Indian slave labor having been used to work the fields in the usual fashion of the time. By 1 August 1641 he had acquired title to the farm from Nanne Beets, the widow of Thomas Bescher, she having entered into a marriage contract with Thomas Smith. Here the location of the

- iv. Ruth, b. 7 August 1710; d. 13 July 1766 [Clark, 69; 13 Aug. 17-- in Wilbour, 781].
- v. Susanna, b. 21 June 1712; d. 13 August 1712.
- vi. Jonathan, b. 5 July 1714; m. Newport 4 June 1759 (or 1769?) Lydia Irish (?); lived in Newport, R.I.
- vii. Mary, b. 9 Jan. 1716; d. 25 May 1789; m. 10 Oct. 1743 John Pitman.

Children, by second wife, the first four born in Little Compton:

- viii. Margaret, b. 26 April 1719; m. (int. 24 July) 1736 William Mosher.
- 4. ix. Esek, b. 13 Nov. 1720; m. 1742 Sarah Tripp.
- x. Job, b. 6 Dec. 1722; d. 1786; m. Little Compton 16 Jan. 1752 Rest Gifford of Dartmouth, Mass.
- xi. Sarah, b. 31 Jan. 1725; according to Wilbour m. 30 Nov. 1757 Nathaniel Church, but Faye Ashby of 12528 Sleepy Hollow Lane, Cerritos, CA 90703 (1994) has stated that Sarah m. Bristol Co., Mass., 5 Feb. 1745/6 Samuel Almy, who d. Washington Co., N.Y., Feb. 1806.
- xii. Robert, b. Dartmouth 4 Oct. 1727; m. (int. 22 Jan.) 1757 Mrs. Rachel⁴ (Tripp) Howland [Randall's *Tripp Gen.*, 55, which gives the date of her second marriage as 22 Dec. 1757], widow (and dau. of Francis³ Tripp (James², John¹), who had m. (1) 21 Dec. 1652 Daniel Howland, Jr. (who b. "6-3" 1728 of Zoeth and Sarah); lived in Westport, Mass.
- xiii. Martha, b. Dartmouth 1 Dec. 1729; m. 5 April 1754 Timothy Cornell.
- xiv. Hannah, m. 1758 Joseph Allen, Jr. [Wilbour, 781].

4. ESEK (EZEKIEL)⁴ WOOD was born in Little Compton, Rhode Island, 13 Nov. 1720.

It has been said that he married in 1742 Sarah Tripp, identified as a daughter of Ichabod Tripp in E.D. Preston's manuscript "Wood Genealogy" in the New York Public Library. However, the Sarah, daughter of Ichabod⁴ and Desire (Brownell) Tripp, was born in Dartmouth 16 Oct. 1741 [Bock, *TC*, 4 (1983), 95], and was unmarried in 1794. Probate research is needed.

His alleged Revolutionary War service needs further documentation.

It is possible that the first two children listed below were of a different couple, Isaac and Sarah⁵ (Tripp) Wood. This Isaac was a son of Isaac and Mary (Potter) Wood.

Children, a tentative list:

- i. Mary⁵, b. 25 Jan. 1743/4; d. 12 April 1832; m. 18 March 1764 Thomas Tripp, Jr.
- ii. Abner, b. 15 Feb. 1745[6?]; d. 3 Sept. 1825; m. 17 Feb. 1773 Mary Brightman.
- iii. Susannah, b. 7 March 1746[7?]; d. 12 Oct. 1767; m. 30 Jan. 1767 Daniel⁶ Wood.
- iv. Sarah, m. (int. 25 Feb. 1775) John Cornell.
- * v. Margaret, b. 3 March 1769[50?]; d. 1771 Lovet⁵ Tripp.

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PEABODY

This Rhode Island family should not be confused with a more prominent Massachusetts family of the same name.

1. JOHN¹ PEABODY, born about 1611, died in Newport, Rhode Island County, Dominion of New England, in the spring of 1687; he was "aged about 75 years" on 22 March 1686/7, the date of his will, which is preserved in the Newport Historical Society [Ewers, *NEHGR*, 117 (1963), 96-98].

His first wife may have been Dorothy Tooley, according to S.H. Peabody's *Peabody (Paybody, Pabody, Pabodie) Genealogy* (ed. Charles Henry Pope, 1909) [539]. A disagreement over the estate of Thomas Tully (or Tooley) of Newport took place between Mordecai Bourden of Newport and "Rebecca his wife relict of Thomas Tully" on the one hand and John Peabody on the other over Thomas Tully's 1/250th interest in Quononauquett Island. On 2 April 1681 John Peabody paid £6 for a quitclaim. Perhaps Rebecca was Dorothy Tooley's mother [Ewers, *NEHGR*, 117-98].

He married second, about 1677, Mary, widow of James Rogers.

His will, dated 22 March 1686/7, was proven in Boston, then the capital of the Dominion of New England, 17 June 1687. In it he mentioned lands in Newport

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bought of James Barker, Sr., Thomas Ward, Nathaniel West, William Withington, Edward Smith, Obadiah Holmes, William Davol, James Mann and Jonathan Davol, about ninety acres in all, and one slave, Thomas Honyball, to be freed after twelve years [Taylor, *TAG*, 13:55-56].

Children, by first wife [Ewers]:

- i. John², m. Rachel Nicholson.
- ii. Mary, m. John² Wood.
- iii. Hannah, m. John¹ Read.
- iv. Elizabeth, m. Joseph Davol.
- * v. Rebecca [Taylor, *TAG*, 13:56; given by S.H. Peabody as Deborah in *Peabody Gen.*, p. 539], m. Ebenezer Moon.
- vi. Ann, m. Nicholas Cottrell.
- vii. Jane, m. Jonathan Smith.

1C5K2A10 GRINNELL, VALENTINE

- s. Billings Grinnell, Comfort Wood
- b. 1795 Sep 22 Little Compton, R. I. [1]
- d.

1C5K2A11 GRINNELL, BILLINGS

- s. Billings Grinnell, Comfort Wood
- b. Little Compton, R. I. [1]
- d.

1C5K2B WOOD, PHEBE ✓

- d. George Wood, Desire Gray
- b. 1763 May 9 or Mar 9 [2]
- d. 1842 Jun 25
- r. Tiverton, R. I.; Sempromus, N. Y.
- m. 1783 Jul 3 in Little Compton, R. I., James Pearce b. 1755 Aug 15 in L. C.; d. 1820 Jul 22.
- c. 1C5K2B1 Deborah
- 1C5K2B2 Sally
- 1C5K2B3 John
- 1C5K2B4 Susannah
- 1C5K2B5 Giles
- 1C5K2B6 George W.
- ✓ 1C5K2B7 Lydia
- 1C5K2B8 Abel
- 1C5K2B9 Phebe
- 1C5K2B10 _____ [2]

1C5K2B1 PEARCE, DEBORAH

- d. James Pearce, Phebe Wood
- b. 1786 Jan 26
- d.
- r.
- m. _____ Dennison
- c.
- n.

1C5K2B2 PEARCE, SALLY

- d. James Pearce, Phebe Wood
- b. 1787 Dec 28
- d.
- r.
- m. _____ Jaynes
- c.
- n.

1C5K2B3 PEARCE, JOHN

- s. James Pearce, Phebe Wood
- b. 1790 Feb 8
- d.

1. L. C. Fams. p. 314.

2. Wildbore, 1933 ed. vol. 1, p. 126, F2567. This shows the 9 children under (G-127001-9). I no longer know where the idea of a 10th was indicated.

1C5K2B4 PEARCE, SUSANNAH
d. James Pearce, Phebe Wood
b. 1792 Mar 17
d.
r.
m. _____ Tripp
c.
n.

1C5K2B5 PEARCE, GILES
s. James Pearce, Phebe Wood
b. 1794 Apr 1
d.
r.
m. Content Hall
c.
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1C5K2B6 PEARCE, GEORGE W.
s. James Pearce, Phebe Wood
b. 1797 Jul 11
d.

✓ 1C5K2B7 PEARCE, LYDIA
d. James Pearce, Phebe Wood
b.
d.

1C5K2B8 PEARCE. ABEL
s. James Pearce, Phebe Wood
b. 1805 Feb 7
d.
r.
m. Sarah Hering
c.
n.

1C5K2B9 PEARCE. PHEBE
d. James Pearce, Phebe Wood
b. 1807 Oct 13
d.
r.
m. 1833 Sep 14 Amos A. Hale
c.
n.

1C5K2C WOOD, SARAH (Phoebe's Sister)
d. George Wood, Desire Gray
b. 1764 Dec 30 [1]
d.
✓ r. Fredonia, N. Y.
m. 1783 Nov 27 in Little Compton, R. I., Hezekiah Barker
c. 1C5K2C1 Barzillai
1C5K2C2 William
1C5K2C3 Desire
1C5K2C4 Samuel
1C5K2C5 Sallie
1C5K2C6 John
1C5K2C7 Charles

(our Phoebe's sister)

1C5K2D WOOD, HANNAH

- d. George Wood, Desire Gray
- b. 1766 Nov 21 or 27 [1]
- d. 1859 Nov 25 Nankin, Wayne Co., Michigan
- ✓ r. Sempromus, N. Y.
- m. 1791 Feb 6 in Little Compton, N. Y., Gideon Durfee b. 1765 Feb 21 Tiverton, R. I.; d. 1809 Palmyra, N. Y. son of Gideon & Ann (Bowen) Durfee.
- c. 1C5K2D1 George
- 1C5K2D2 Polly
- 1C5K2D3 Nathan
- 1C5K2D4 Barzilla
- 1C5K2D5 Harvey
- 1C5K2D6 Austin
- 1C5K2D7 Elizabeth
- 1C5K2D8 Matilda
- n. From Tiverton, R. I. to Farmington, N. Y. 1790. Bought 200 acres 1792. App't Ensign in Lt. Col. Swift's regiment of N. Y. Militia 1804.

1C5K2D1 DURFEE, GEORGE

- s. Gideon Durfee, Hannah Wood
- b. 1792 Sep 24
- d.

1C5K2D2 DURFEE, POLLY

- d. Gideon Durfee, Hannah Wood
- b. 1794 Jun 23
- d.

1C5K2D3 DURFEE, NATHAN

- s. Gideon Durfee, Hannah Wood
- b. 1796 Aug 21
- d.

1C5K2D4 DURFEE, BARZILLA

- s. Gideon Durfee, Hannah Wood
- b. 1798 Nov 20
- d.

1C5K2D5 DURFEE, HARVEY

- s. Gideon Durfee, Hannah Wood
- b. 1801 Feb 1
- d.

1C5K2D6 DURFEE, AUSTIN

- s. Gideon Durfee, Hannah Wood
- b. 1803 Feb 12
- d.

1C5K2D7 DURFEE, ELIZABETH

- d. Gideon Durfee, Hannah Wood
- b. 1805 Feb 10
- d.

1C5K2D8 DURFEE, MATILDA

- d. Gideon Durfee, Hannah Wood
- b. 1807 Feb 11
- d.

1C5K2E WOOD, LYDIA

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- d. George Wood, Desire Gray
- b. 1768 or 69 Dec 12
- d.
- r. Schoharie Co., N. Y.
- m. 1790 Nov 7 in Little Compton, R. I., David Seabury.
- c.
- n.

1C5K2F WOOD, RUTH

- d. George Wood, Desire Gray
- b. 1771 Mar 20
- d.
- r. Paris, Oneida Co., N. Y.
- m. 1791 Aug 29 in Little Compton, R. I., Abel Simmons (d. before Dec. 13. 1815) son of Aaron & Abigail () Simmons.
- c. 1C5K2F1 Tillinghast
- 1C5K2F2 Harvey
- 1C5K2F3 Orson
- 1C5K2F4 Abel
- 1C5K2F5 Henry
- 1C5K2F6 Emilie
- 1C5K2F7 Sophie

1C5K2F1 SIMMONS, TILLINGHAST

- s. Abel Simmons, Ruth Wood
- b.
- d.

1C5K2F2 SIMMONS, HARVEY

- s. Abel Simmons, Ruth Wood
- b.
- d.

1C5K2F3 SIMMONS, ORSON

- s. Abel Simmons, Ruth Wood
- b.
- d.

1C5K2F4 SIMMONS, ABEL

- s. Abel Simmons, Ruth Wood
- b.
- d.

1C5K2F5 SIMMONS, HENRY

- s. Abel Simmons, Ruth Wood
- b.
- d.

1C5K2F6 SIMMONS, EMILIE

- d. Abel Simmons, Ruth Wood
- b.
- d.

1C5K2F7 SIMMONS, SOPHIA

- d. Abel Simmons, Ruth Wood
- b.
- d.

1C5K2G WOOD, JOHN

- s. George Wood, Desire Gray
- b. 1773 Feb 14
- d. 1864 Jun 5 [1]
- r. Fredonia, N. Y.
- m. 1798 Apr 1 Lydia Woodman b. 1773 Jul 26 Little Compton, R. I.; d. 1863 Aug 6 dau of John and Jerusha (Dennis) Woodman. (Jerusha Dennis was b. Tiverton, R. I.). [2] John Woodman was b. L. C.
- c. 1C5K2G1 Willard Woodman [3]
- 1C5K2G2 Comfort
- 1C5K2G3 Dennis
- 1C5K2G4 Philip Woodman
- 1C5K2G5 Samuel Gray
- 1C5K2G6 Asa
- 1C5K2G7 John Woodman
- 1C5K2G8 Jerusha Dennis
- n. Lt. 1801. Capt. 1805 2nd Co., Little Compton, R. I. Militia.
H. W. Wood, Jr. has these commissions, attests of Isaac Wilbour; also wedding certificate and silver wedding spoons engraved 1798.

[H. W. Wood, Jr. supplied most of the data concerning this line. Included was the following:

"Children of John Woodman and Jerusha Dennis were:

Constant b. 1771 m. Irene _____ of Eaton, Madison Co., N. Y.

Had 4 ch: Jerusha, John, Harriet, Sylvester.

Sylvester b. 1768 1m. Abbie Peckham of Madison, Madison Co., N. Y.;

2m. Millie Enos. They r. Brighton, Genesee Co., N. Y. He-no ch.

Lydia b. 7-26-1773 m. John Wood [1C5K2G-above].

Willard b. 3-26-1776. Bachelor, died at sea.

Philip b. 2-23-1779. Bachelor, died at Madison, N. Y.

John b. 7-25-1782. Bachelor, died at sea.

Clark b. 10-11-1785. Married. Died at Little Compton, R. I.

Had 4 ch., one of whom was Abbie.

John Woodman m. 2nd, his cousin Barbara Woodman. No ch."

1C5K2G1 WOOD, WILLARD WOODMAN

- s. John Wood, Lydia Woodman
- b. 1799 Feb 24 Little Compton, R. I. [3]
- d. 1824 May 30 at Savannah, Georgia of Yellow Fever.
- r.
- m. No.

1C5K2G2 WOOD, COMFORT

- d. John Wood, Lydia Woodman
- b. 1802 Dec 9
- d. 1894 Feb 11
- r. Fredonia, N. Y.
- m. Uriah Denton b. 1804 May 11
- c. 1C5K2G2A Matilda Maria

Con't next page.

1. See Woodman Genealogy by Jabez Woodman (Newberry Library).
2. Wildbores, op cit, (F-3583) + Lydia Woodman, vol. 1, p. 82. Index calls John son of "George-Haz", (F-3583 only says "son [of] George".
3. L. C. Fams., op cit, p. 790 shows one child =Howland W. Wood and gives birth-date same as shown for Willard Woodman Wood.

Gray Wood & half sister Comfort Wood not collected here

- 1C5K2G2D DENTON, ELIZA SMITH CLAPP
d. Uriah Denton, Comfort Wood
b. 1837 Sep 19
d.
- 1C5K2G2E DENTON, ASA WILLARD
s. Uriah Denton, Comfort Wood
b. 1839 Jul 11
d. 1870 Jun 29
- 1C5K2G2F DENTON, LYDIA ELMIRA
d. Uriah Denton, Comfort Wood
b. 1842 Sep 30
d. 1881 Sep 1
r.
m. Leroy Atwood
c. No.
n.
- 1C5K2G2G DENTON, MARY ELLEN
d. Uriah Denton, Comfort Wood
b. 1848 May 7
d. 1859 Apr 15
- 1C5K2G3 WOOD, DENNIS
s. John Wood, Lydia Woodman
b.
d.
r.
m. Eliza Smith Clapp
c. 1C5K2G3A John Willard [only child]
n.
- 1C5K2G3A WOOD, JOHN WILLARD
s. Dennis Wood, Eliza Smith Clapp
b. 1833 Feb 24
d.
- 1C5K2G4 WOOD, PHILIP WOODMAN
s. John Wood, Lydia Woodman
b. 1807 Feb 7
d. 1877 Sep 6
r. Philadelphia, Pa.
m. Mary Jones
c. 1C5K2G4A George
1C5K2G4B Amy
1C5K2G4C Eliza Dennis
1C5K2G4D Frank Willard
1C5K2G4E Cornelia Davidson
n.

1C5K2G4A WOOD, GEORGE
s. Philip Wood, Mary Jones
b. 1840 Mar 29
d. 1884 Dec 28
r.
m. 1863 Nov 24 Anna Watts Enyard [?Enyard]
c. 1C5K2G4A1 Mary Enyard
1C5K2G4A2 Philip Woodman
1C5K2G4A3 Frank Willard
1C5K2G4A4 Clara Davis

1C5K2G4A1 WOOD, MARY ENYART
d. George Wood, Anna Enyard
b. 1864 Sep 6
d.

1C5K2G4A2 WOOD, PHILIP WOODMAN
s. George Wood, Anna Enyard
b. 1866 Apr 15
d. 1866 Jul 8

1C5K2G4A3 WOOD, FRANK WILLARD
s. George Wood, Anna Enyard
b. 1868 Feb 21
d.
r.
m. 1893 Nov 22 Helen Wier at Springfield, Mo. —
c.
n.

1C5K2G4A4 WOOD, CLARA DAVIS
d. George Wood, Anna Enyard
b. 1871 Jan 9
d.

1C5K2G4B WOOD, AMY
d. Philip Wood, Mary Jones
b. 1842 May 24
d. 1889 Mar 30
r.
m. 1865 Oct 26 Walter Swift of England
c. 1C5K2G4B1 Mary
1C5K2G4B2 Laura Kirkley
1C5K2G4B3 Alice Maud
1C5K2G4B4 Walter Philip
1C5K2G4B5 Amy Davis
1C5K2G4B6 Beatrice Muriel
n.

1C5K2G4B1 SWIFT, MARY
d. Walter Swift, Amy Wood
b. 1866 Aug 2 in U. S. A.
d.

1C5K2G4B2 SWIFT, LAURA KIRKLEY
d. Walter Swift, Amy Wood
b. 1869 Oct ___ in U. S. A.
d. 1887 Mar ___ in England

1C5K2G4B3 SWIFT, ALICE MAUD
d. Walter Swift, Amy Wood

1C5K2G6 WOOD, ASA

- s. John Wood, Lydia Woodman
- b. 1812 Feb 11
- d. 1836 Feb 18
- r.
- m. No.

1C5K2G7 WOOD, JOHN WOODMAN

- s. John Wood, Lydia Woodman
- b. 1814 Apr 15
- d. 1900 Dec 15
- r. moved 1868 to Savannah, Missouri
- ✓ m. 1844 Aug 18 in Fredonia, N. Y., Sarah Jane Lake
- c. 1C5K2G7A Julia
- 1C5K2G7B Susan
- 1C5K2G7C Charles
- 1C5K2G7D Harry
- 1C5K2G7E Arthur
- 1C5K2G7F Horace
- 1C5K2G7G Cordelia
- 1C5K2G7H Helen
- n. Horace W. Wood, Jr. sent the following, also, from his collections:
 - "Ancestry of Sarah Jane Lake b. Oct 30, 1826 Skaneateles, N. Y.,
 - m. John Woodman Wood.
 - Salmon Lake m. Celesta Warren
 - b. 7-18-1784 4-5- 1808 b. 4-5-1793
 - Obed Warren m. Mercy Blood (by Baptist minister
 - b. 3-8-1760 9-20-1780 or Mary (Shushan, N. Y.
 - Jacob Warren III m. Elizabeth Cooper
 - b. 4-16-1719 12-27-1739
 - Jacob Warren, Jr. m. Abigail Hain
 - b. 7-13-1691
 - Jacob Warren m. Mary Hildreth
 - b. 10-26-1642 6-21-1667
 - in Boston
 - Arthur Warren m. Mary
 - resided in Weymouth, Mass. before 1638. They (or he) emigrated
 - from England about 1635." [1]

He also has a double Warren line to the Mayflower:

Richard Warren	Richard Warren
Elizabeth Warren - Richard Church	Elizabeth Warren - Richard Church
Mary Church - John Wood, Lt.	Deborah Church - Samuel Gray
Joseph Wood - Mary Brownell	Samuel Gray, Jr. - Hannah Kent
George Wood - Desire Gray	Desire Gray - George Wood
John Wood, Capt. - Lydia Woodman	John Wood, Capt. - Lydia Woodman

1C5K2G7A WOOD, JULIA

- d. John Wood, Sarah Jane Lake
- b.
- d.
- r.
- m. Charles F. Gibbs [1]
- c. Charles
- n.

1C5K2G7B WOOD, SUSAN
d. John Wood, Sarah Jane Lake
b.
d.
r.
m. James M. Street
c. *Ralph Wood*
n.

1C5K2G7C WOOD, CHARLES
s. John Wood, Sarah Jane Lake
b.
d.
r.
m. Mary Clarkson
c.
n.

1C5K2G7D WOOD, HARRY
s. John Wood, Sarah Jane Lake
b.
d.
r.
m. Mary Allison
c. *Herbert, Helen, Horace*
n.

1C5K2G7F WOOD, ARTHUR
E s. John Wood, Sarah Jane Lake
b.
d.
r.
m. Lena Curtis
c. *Frank*
n.

1C5K2G7F WOOD, HORACE WALTER
s. John Wood, Sarah Jane Lake
b.
d.
r.
m. *Mary Vance* *et alia*
c. 1C5K2G7F1 Horace Walter
1C5K2G7F2 Helen
n. Probably married 2nd. Beatrice D. Dorman X

1C5K2G7F1 WOOD, HORACE WALTER, JR. ("BUD")
3 s. Horace W. Wood, Mary Vance
b.
d.
✓ r. *Columbus*, Missouri
m. Elvera Wilander. Had been m. 35 yrs in 1961. Her father was Swedish and an immigrant. The name in Sweden was Haroldson.
c. No.
n. Professor of civil engineering at Missouri University. Elvera a Christian Science Practitioner.

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214. **Durfee, Gideon** (Gideon 4th, Job 3d, Thomas 2d, Thomas 1st). Son of Gideon and Anne (Bowen) Durfee, of Tiverton, R. I., and Palmyra, N. Y.; born in Tiverton, R. I., February 21, 1765; died in Palmyra, N. Y., in 1809; married in Tiverton, R. I., February 6, 1791, to HANNAH WOOD, of Little Compton, R. I., daughter of George and Desire (Gray) Wood; born in Little Compton, R. I., November 21, 1766; died in Nankin, Wayne Co., Mich., November 25, 1859.

Their children were:

493.—1st. **George**, born September 24, 1792.

494.—2d. **Polly**, born June 23, 1794.

495.—3d. **Nathan**, born August 21, 1796.

496.—4th. **Barzilla**, born November 20, 1798.

497.—5th. **Harvey**, born February 1, 1801.

498.—6th. **Austin**, born February 12, 1803.

499.—7th. **Elizabeth**, born February 10, 1805.

500.—8th. **Matilda**, born February 11, 1807.

Mr. Durfee, with his brother Edward, came from Tiverton, R. I., to Farmington, N. Y., in the summer of 1790. He returned with a favorable report of the country, and came back the following winter with Isaac Springer. He purchased 200 acres of land of his brother-in-law, Humphrey Sherman, in 1792. He was appointed, in 1804, an Ensign in Lieutenant-Colonel Swift's regiment of New York Militia.

← Boer

Phebe (Wood)
Pence's sister

Wood/Durfee to

Nankin

Had 100 in NY she is
Nankin

(1790)

OSBAND.

215.—**Durfee, Hannah** (Gideon 4th, Job 3d, Thomas 2d, Thomas 1st). Daughter of Gideon and Anne (Bowen) Durfee, of Tiverton, Newport Co., R. I., and Palmyra, Wayne Co., N. Y.; born in Tiverton, R. I., July 27, 1766; died in Palmyra, N. Y., September 1, 1820; married in Tiverton, R. I., October 16, 1788, to WEAVER OSBAND, of Tiverton, R. I., son of William and Elizabeth (Shrieve) Osband; born in Tiverton, R. I., April 17, 1756; died in Palmyra, N. Y., May 21, 1805.

There is no larger a
Nankin in Wayne Co. MI
but there is "Nankin
Mills" section of Livonia's
southern border - (Palmyra
of Detroit.)

Box of Thomas Durfee of Pats with RI Vol 1

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WOOD

Part 4
(prev pages
1-2-3 in
other section)

In part 2, Historical Data Relating to Cities and Towns, [1] is shown:

Dartmouth, Bristol County--Continued.

- 1664. June 8. Established as a town. "...all that tracte of land commonly called and knowne by the name of Acushena, Ponagansett and Coaksett.....Knowne by the name of Dartmouth." (Ply. Col. Rec., Vol. IV, p. 65.)
- 1668. June 3. Bounds of Dartmouth established.
- 1701. June 13. Boundary lines between town of Dartmouth, and the towns of Little Compton and Tiverton established.
- 1747. Feb. 5. "The Remainder of Tiverton and the whole of Little Compton in this Province,.....annexed. (Prov. Laws, Vol. XIII, p. 685.)
- 1787. Feb. 23. Part established as New Bedford.
- 1787. July. 2. Part established as Westport.
- 1793. Feb. 25. Part annexed to Westport.
- 1795. Feb. 25. Part annexed to Westport.
- 1805. Mar. 4. Part annexed to Westport.
- 1828. Feb. 20. Bounds between Dartmouth and Westport established.
- 1831. Feb. 19. Bounds between Dartmouth and New Bedford established.
- 1845. Mar. 20. Part annexed to New Bedford.
- 1888. May. 3. Part annexed to New Bedford.

Somewhere along the line, I have determined that Little Compton Court records are to be found:

Before 1685 in Plymouth, Massachusetts, Registry of Deeds.

1685-1881 in Probate Court and Court of Insolvency in Plymouth, Massachusetts.

1882?-1746/7 in Registry of Probate, Taunton, Massachusetts.

After 1746/7 to present in Little Compton, Rhode Island.

I have by no means covered all these sources; and perhaps it should also be mentioned here that Little Compton Vital Records were printed from a transcript made by Otis Wilbour long ago and are a source of error. I believe the originals are no longer extant.

This is our lineage starting here.

Mayflower

Anthony

Concerning the descendants

John (3) Wood (1664-1733--"February ye 22nd 1733/40 in 77th year") [1], Lieutenant of the Colonial Wars, married about 1688 Mary Church who died in 1748--"November ye 11 aged about 80 years" [She was twenty-one at the birth of her first child.], daughter of Joseph Church and his wife Mary Tucker (daughter of John). "They lived on the first lot south of Taylor's Lane, one meadow wide. It crossed the main highway and went west to the shore." Their house still (1961) stands as part of a now much larger dwelling and has a huge tree in front of it. We took a picture of it. It evidently became the property of John's son Joseph's son John while the 31st great lot ("which would be south of the Commons or Congregational Church") was divided between Joseph's sons George and Isaac: George on the west side of the highway, Isaac on the east; but more about this later. [3]. This property on the south side of Taylor's Lane was the property deeded to John and Mary Wood by Joseph Church [4].

1. Ibid, p. 24.
2. NEHG Register, Vol. CXV, October 1961, p. 265. Cemetery Inscriptions in Little Compton, R. I. Contributed by Benjamin Franklin Wilbour and Waldo Chamberlain Sprague. (The Old Commons Cemetery).
3. George's house "was torn down long ago", Isaac's house evidently still stood, but we did not go up to it.
4. The will of Joseph Church of Little Compton and abstracts "of all records concerning him in Bristol County, Massachusetts Registry of Probate" is given on pages 22-25 of Mayflower Descendant, Vol. 22, 1920 (E 677.01 Newberry Library). His will mentions daughter Mary, wife of Lieutenant Wood--one whole share. The will was made 15 February 1710/11, proved 12 March 1710/11.

The children of John and Mary (Church) Wood were: [1]

- i. John b. 16 Jul 1689; d. 1712 Mar 16 ae 23 ("1711/12, March ye 13th in ye 23rd year of his age").
- ii. Mary b. 14 Mar 1691; d. 7 Oct 1745 ("in ye 54th year") m. 10 Jul 1712 Lieutenant Thomas Bailey b. about 1690; d. 2-4-1741 [2] son of John Bailey and wife Sutton (surname unknown) [3].
- iii. Sarah b. 6 Nov 1692; d. 8 Mar 1712 ae 20 ("1711/12").
- iv. Deborah b. 7 Mar 1694; d. 16 Mar 1712 ae 18 ("1711/12").
- v. Margaret b. 20 Apr 1696; d. 2 Mar 1712 ae 16 ("1711/12 ... ye 16th in ye 16 year of her age").
- vi. Abigail b. 6 Dec 1697; d. 16 Mar 1712 ae 15 ("1711/12....ye 9th in ye 14th year of her age").
- vii. Elizabeth b. 6 Nov 1699; d. 10 Mar 1712 ae 12 ("1711/12 in ye 13 year of her age").
- viii. Hannah b. 7 Oct 1701; d. 14 Jun 1730 Bristol, R. I.; m. 16 Dec 1720 Jonathan Peck of Bristol, R. I. [4] [5].
- ix. Rebecca b. 4 Nov 1703; d. 3 Oct 1714 ("in the 11th year of her age").
- x. Dorothy b. 12 Dec 1704; m. 16 Mar 1727 Joseph Rogers of Newport.
- xi. Joseph b. 23 Dec 1705; d. 22 Jan 1767 "in his 62nd year" who also saw service in the Colonial Wars, m. 31 Aug 1727 Mary Brownell [6] b. 9 Nov 1709; d. 6 Oct 1791 ("in her 82nd year") dau of George Brownell (Thomas 2, Thomas 1) and Mary Thurston of Little Compton. [7]

1. Dates here are from Arnold's Vital Records of Rhode Island, Little Compton-- but remember BFW's comment re their accuracy. Pierce Papers in New Bedford Library show these children but slightly different dates. Dates above in quotation marks are from Mr. Wilbour's cemetery records (op cit) which show still another variation. (Take into account the calendar differences, too.). A Thomas, said to have been born January 23, 1695, is added in a Boston Transcript note by H.A.A.R. February or March 1929. Those who died in 1712 died from "Throat Distemper".
2. Miss Clark sent these dates "according to Wesley Wyman".
3. Family records handed down to me, largely the work of Captain A. N. Wood, USN, gave John Bailey's wife's name as _____ Sutton. Mr. Wilbour says they are buried in the Bailey Cemetery in Middletown, R. I. (She d. February 13, 1709.) and that the gravestone shows that her first name was Sutton. Mr. John D. Morrell says she is said to have been first the wife of William Brown of Portsmouth, R. I.
4. Marriage date and record of children are all from Bristol County Records, Arnold's Vital Records, Vol. 6. Marriage Intentions and Marriages of Bristol 1680 to 1850 show "int. Dec. 19, 1720"; Little Compton Vital Records show m. Jan. 5, 1721. Jonathan Peck m. (2) Hannah (?Loving) of Little Compton. See also, Pierce Papers, Wood Book 73a at New Bedford, Massachusetts Library.
5. Descendants of Joseph Peck, by Ira B. Peck (1860), page 138 shows she died on June 11. Jonathan d. Feb. 25, 1757.
6. Genealogical Record of the Descendants of Thomas Brownell 1619 to 1910, by George Grant Brownell, 1910, p. 45; and notes of an uncle of Horace W. Wood, Jr.
7. Mary Thurston is sister of Content Thurston who married Henry Wood and of Elizabeth Thurston who married Jonathan Wood.

Hannah (4) Wood (John 3, 2, 1) and Jonathan Peck son of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Throop) Peck (Nicholas 2, Joseph 1) resided on the family homestead in or near Bristol, R. I. Their children were: [1]

- i. Rebecca b. 26 Sep 1721.
- ii. John b. 24 April 1723; d. young [2].
- iii. Jonathan b. 4 Jan 1724/5; m. Mary Throop of Bristol, R. I. 2 June 1757. He d. 7 Oct 1797. She d. 6 Nov 1803 aged 66 years. They had 12 children.
- iv. Nicholas b. 14 Mar 1726.
- v. Hannah b. 20 Feb 1728/29.
- vi. Hannah b. 14 Mar 1729; d. age 15 months--not shown in Peck genealogy.

Joseph (4) Wood (John 3, 2, 1) and Mary Brownell had:

- i. John b. 22 Dec 1728; m. 27 Nov 1747/8 Eunice Shaw b. 7 Oct 1728, Little Compton dau of Israel Shaw (Israel 3, Israel 2, Anthony 1) and Abigail Palmer of Little Compton. Children: Joseph m. (1) Elizabeth Church and (2) Hannah Gorham; Abigail m. Joseph Wilbour; Benjamin m. Sarah Taggart; Merebah; Sarah m. Daniel Howland, Jr.; Eunice [3]; and Thirza.

Little Compton Town Clerk's Office, Book 2, Page 366 [4].

June 7, 1779. John Wood warranty deed to Pardon Brownell. John and Eunice Wood sell to Pardon Brownell of Dartmouth, gentleman, land in Little Compton part of the homestead farm that was formerly Mr. John Brownells of Little Compton Dec'd....but Land I bought of Mr. William Shaw of Dartmouth --- 23 acres middle part of sd farm lying at East End. Bounded northerly upon Land of (Thomas) Ormsby Easterly on a Highway Southerly upon land of John Wilbur and Westerly upon land of John Wood ..

Little Compton Town Clerk's Office, Book 2, Page 395.

November 23, 1780. John Wood gentleman and Eunice Wood for 250 pounds sell to Pardon Gray of Tiverton 8 acres and 3/4 a wood lot which John had by right of inheritance.

- ii. (Lieutenant) George (of Captain Gideon Simmons Co., Col. Cook's Regiment, Rhode Island Militia, 1778) b. 2 Nov 1730; d. June 1820 and said to be buried in Fredonia, Chataqua Co., N. Y.; m. (1) Comfort Taylor b. 28 May 1735 dau of Phillip and Comfort (Dennis) Taylor of Little Compton. Child: Comfort m. Billings Grinnell. George m. (2) Desire Gray b. 7 Jul 1735; d. Mar 1822 in Little Compton; dau of Samuel Gray (Samuel 2, Edward 1) and Hannah Kent. Children: Phebe b. 9 Mar 1763 m. James Pearce; Sarah b. 30 Dec 1764 m. Hezekiah Barker; Hannah b. 27 Nov 1766 m. Gideon Durfee; Lydia b. 12 Dec 1769 m. David Seabury; Ruth b. 27 Mar 1771 m. Abel Simmons; John b. 14 Feb 1773; d. 5 Jun 1864; (Lt. 1801, Captain 1805 of 2nd Co. Little Compton, R. I. Militia [5]; m. Lydia Woodman; and Gray b. 29 Mar 1775 m. Hannah Hart. [6].

Professor H. W. Wood, Jr. has in his possession the following:

Receipt of Oliver Baley to George Wood, Executor of the last will and testament of Joseph Wood, 1767.

Letters of Administration of will of Joseph Wood to George Wood, 1767.

1. Arnold, op cit, Vital Records, Vol. 6, Bristol Co. Records. Jonathan Peck m. (2) Hannah Lain and had other children.
2. Descendants of Joseph Peck by Ira B. Peck (1868), p. 138.
3. NEHGR, October 1961, p. 261 shows a "Eunice wife of Mr. Benjamin Davis who d. Oct. 1st 1778 in the 23rd year of her age" and "Eunice her daughter who died Oct. 1st 1778 age 2 mos". Is this our Eunice? Could be a Brownell.
4. Items obtained in the Town Clerk's Office during our trip.
5. Professor Horace W. Wood, Jr. has George's commissions both signed by Governor A Fenner and bearing attests of Isaac Wilbour-- 1803, 1804, 1806.
6. Boston Transcript, May 23, 1900, No. 4211, 3 has line of George Wood (1730-1820)

Will of George Wood dated 1815 [1].
 Letters of Administration of estate of Desire (Gray) Wood, 1822.
 Inventory of personal estate of Desire Wood appraised by Charles Wood,
 Joseph Church, Lindall Simmons, March 16, 1822.
 Letters of Administration of Will of George Wood to John Wood, 1820.
 Numerous articles which belonged to Lieutenant George Wood, including
 his Bible.

Little Compton Town Clerk's Office, Book 3, Page 467.

April 2, 1793.

George Wood to Isaac Wood 2 acres East by great highway north by William Church
 Westerly and Southerly on sd George Wood's land.....

- iii. Paul b. 19 Jan 1733; d. 31 Mar 1734.
- iv. Hannah b. 22 Dec 1734; d. 3 Feb 1815; m. Nathaniel Church.
- v. Sarah b. 16 Jul 1737; d. 30 Dec 1819; m. Captain Ebenezer Church [2].
- vi. Deborah b. 3 Nov 1739; buried 25 July 1783 "in the 44th year of her age" [3].
- vii. Paul b. 9 May 1741; d. 8 Oct 1764 [4].
- viii. Ruth b. 25 Sep 1743; m. _____ Brownell.
- ix. Mary b. 26 Dec 1745; d. 10 Jan 1748/9.
- x. Mary b. 21 Jan 1748/9; m. 21 Dec 1777 Nathaniel Simmons. Children: Paul,
 Paul, Mary.
- x. Isaac b. 17 Jun 1752 [5]; m. 21 Apr 1774 Susannah Taylor b. 20 Dec 1754 dau
 of William and Deborah (Gray) Taylor. Children: Comfort, Mary, Simeon,
 Deborah, Susanna, Mariette.

Civil and Military List of Rhode Island [6] shows Lieutenant Isaac Wood in
 the 1st Company of Little Compton, Ensign John Bailey. The name Isaac does not
 appear again until 1830 when there is an Ensign Isaac Wood and in 1831 a
 2nd Lt. Isaac Wood and an Ens. Thomas Wood.

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April 2, 1793: Isaac Wood sold to Nathaniel Church "one of the tracts in
 my homestead farm" with dwelling house 40 acres---bounded southerly on land
 of William Taylor Easterly on Land of Ephriam Simmons, Northerly partly on
 Land of Adam Simmons and partly on Land of heirs of Jonathan Ellis Deceased and

- ✓ 1. His estate was willed to son John, son Gray being deceased.
2. Her marriage and that of her sister Hannah taken from notes of an uncle of
 Horace W. Wood, Jr. W. A. Wood notes (op cit-Newberry) say Hannah married
 Capt. Ebenezer Church.
3. NEHGR, October 1961, p. 266. H. W. Wood's uncle's notes show d. 1784 and
 W. A. Wood's notes (ibid) show d. Jan 1784.
4. NEHGR, Vol. CXV, October 1961, p. 265 (Mr. B. F. Wilbour's cemetery notes) show:
 "d. 6 Oct 1764 aged 23 years and 16 days".
5. Birthdate from Bible record in possession of Horace W. Wood, Jr.
6. J. J. Smith, Vol. 1, p. 406 for 1781.

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born 10 July 1756 in LC, died 1841. He was married in LC April 1782 by the Rev. Jonathan Ellis to RUTH SIMMONS, daughter of Aaron and Abigail (Church) Simmons, born 3 March 1761 in LC.

Residence: Paris, Herkimer County, N.Y., in 1797.

Children, recorded in LC:

- i. Dianna, b. 28 Oct. 1782.
- ii. George Pearce, b. 2 Jan. 1785.
- iii. Caleb, b. 3 April 1787.

25. THOMAS⁵ SIMMONS (Peleg⁴, William³, John², Moses¹), born in LC 9 Sept. 1740, died in Tiverton 12 June 1833.

He married first in Tiverton 25 Feb. 1761 MARTHA HART of Tiverton, daughter of Jonathan and Mercy (Tripp) Hart. He married second in Tiverton 5 Feb. 1769 ELIZABETH MANCHESTER, daughter of Edward Manchester. Residence: Tiverton.

Children, born in Tiverton:

38. i. Ichabod, b. 20 Sept. 1761.
- ii. Abner, b. 22 Sept. 1762; m. (1) (?); m. (2) 1 May (?) Ruth (--).
- iii. Pardon, b. 5 Sept. 1769.
- iv. John, b. 28 Sept. 1770.
- v. Thomas, b. 13 July 1780; m. in Tiverton 5 July 1801 Polly Church, daughter of Seth and Lois Church of LC.
- vi. Edward.
- vii. Amasa.
- viii. Stephen.
- ix. George.
- x. Hannah.
- xi. Ruth, m. Joseph Albert.
- xii. Rachel, m. (--) King of Westport.

26. CAPT. GIDEON⁵ SIMMONS (Peleg⁴, William³, John², Moses¹), born in LC 14 Dec. 1744.

He was married first in LC 27 June 1771 by the Rev. Jonathan Ellis to PATIENCE ELLIS, daughter of the Rev. Jonathan and Patience Ellis, born about 1747, died in LC 13 Oct. 1792. He married second in LC 9 April 1797 RUTH STODDARD, daughter of Benjamin and Phebe (Brownell) Stoddard, born in LC in 1759.

He was a captain of one of the companies of militia for the town of LC during the Revolutionary War. A pensioner, he lived at one time in Easton, Madison County, N.Y. He and William Church moved from LC to New York State, driving an ox team containing their personal belongings. In 1795 he was living in Paris, N.Y., and in 1796 he was in Hamilton, N.Y. In 1811 he was living in Madison, Madison County, N.Y.

Children, all recorded in LC:

- i. Thomas Brownell, b. 16 Aug. 1772; m. in LC 6 Sept. 1797 Susanna Brown, daughter of Thomas and Priscilla Brown.
- ii. Jonathan Ellis, b. 1 March 1775. Residence: Providence.
- iii. Charles Lee, b. 2 Jan. 1777.

- iv. William Pitts, b. 27 Sept. 1780; m. Susannah Trefee.
- v. Eunice, b. 10 Nov. 1782.
- vi. Mary, b. 7 Oct. 1784.
- vii. Benjamin Clapp, b. 11 Oct. 1788.

27. BENJAMIN⁵ SIMMONS (Peleg⁴, William³, John², Moses¹), born in LC 7 Nov. 1757, died 4 Jan. 1829.

He was married in LC 1 May 1783 by the Rev. Jonathan Ellis to SUSANNA BRIGGS, daughter of Cornelius and Mary (Brownell) Briggs, born in LC 22 March 1766. Residence: Madison, Madison County, N.Y., in 1822.

Children, all recorded in LC:

- i. Cornelius, b. 1 Oct. 1783.
- ii. Mary, b. 1 Nov. 1785.
- iii. Lucy, b. 6 Dec. 1787.
- iv. Joseph, b. 22 April 1790.
- v. Judith, b. 1 April 1792.

28. WILLIAM⁵ SIMMONS (Isaac⁴, William⁴, William³, John², Moses¹), born in LC 24 Feb. 1749.

He married in LC 1 July 1770 ANNA RICHMOND, daughter of Ephraim and Elizabeth (Cook) Richmond, born in LC 14 Dec. 1749, died in Schoharie, N.Y., in 1815. Residence: LC and Schoharie, N.Y.

Children, recorded in LC:

- i. William, b. 21 Jan. 1771.
- ii. Isaac, b. 27 Oct. 1772.
- iii. Richmond, b. 2 Oct. 1774; m. Anna Brownell, daughter of James Brownell.
- iv. Hannah Gray, b. 24 Nov. 1776.
- v. Anna, b. 15 Oct. 1778.
- vi. Mary Pope, b. 18 Sept. 1780.

29. NATHANIEL⁵ SIMMONS (Isaac⁴, William⁴, William³, John², Moses¹), born in LC 10 June 1751.

He married in LC 21 Dec. 1777 MARY WOOD, daughter of Joseph and Mary (Brownell) Wood, born in LC 31 Jan. 1748. Residence: LC. They lived on the West Main Road in district No. 2, on the place marked E. Palmer on the map of 1870.

Children, not recorded in LC:

- i. Charlotte.
- ii. Zella, b. 26 Oct. 1783.
39. iii. Lindal, b. 18 Aug. 1783.
- iv. Ruth, b. 17 Aug. 1789.
- v. Perez, b. 6 March 1781.

30. CALEB⁵ SIMMONS (Isaac⁴, William⁴, William³, John², Moses¹), born in LC 23 Jan. 1754.

He was married in LC 20 April 1777 by the Rev. Jonathan Ellis to MERCY SIMMONS, daughter of Benjamin and Mercy (Taylor) Simmons, born in LC 31 July 1753. This family must have moved away from LC.

★ Our dear Phebe (Wood) Palmer was first to Schoharie in life 1795

61. Mary, b Apr., 1698; bp. 12 Nov., 1699; m 12 Aug. 1725, Samuel Tisdale, of Freetown.
62. Elizabeth, b 17 Feb., 1700; bp. 3 Nov.; m 29 July, 1720 (or 22, both dates given) Joseph Crandall.
- +63. Benjamin, b 13 June, 1702; m 21 May, 1752, Judith Pabodie.
64. Rebecca, b 12 Apr., 1704; d 20 June, 1721.
- +65. Edward, b 22 Feb., 1706; d Aug. 1761; m 2 Oct., 1729, Grace Shaw; by Thos. Church, J. P.; m 2d, 3 May, 1755, Mary Southworth.
66. Sarah, b 13 Sept., 1708; m 11 Sept., 1740, Joshua Crossman.

19. MARY CHURCH¹ (Joseph², Richard¹), b 1668; d 11 Nov., 1748; m 1688, John Wood, b 1664; d 22 Feb., 1740. (Arnold, Church Family.)

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND MARY (CHURCH) WOOD. ✕

67. John, b 16 July, 1689.
68. Mary, b 14 Mar., 1691.
69. Sarah, b 6 Nov., 1692.
70. Deborah, b 7 Mar., 1694.
71. Margaret, b 20 Apr., 1696.
72. Abigail, b 6 Dec., 1697.
73. Elizabeth, b 6 Nov., 1699.
74. Hannah, b 7 Oct., 1701.
75. Rebecca, b 4 Nov., 1703.
- ✓ 76. Joseph, b 23 Dec., 1705.
77. Dorothy, b 12 Dec., 1707.

20. ELIZABETH CHURCH¹ (Joseph², Richard¹), b 1670; m at Dorchester, Mass., Dec. 1685, Joseph Blackman, b 1666. They were married by Mr. Joseph Church, father of the bride. (Arnold, Church Family.)

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH AND ELIZABETH (CHURCH) BLACKMAN.

78. Jonathan.
79. Ichabod, b 8 Mar., 1692.
80. Sarah, b 1 Jan., 1695.
81. Rebecca, b 5 June 1696.
82. Elisha, b 23 Sept., 1699.
83. Benjamin, b 12 Nov., 1701.
84. Mary, b 12 Feb., 1704.
85. Abraham, b 11 July, 1705.
86. Elizabeth, b 11 Sept., 1707.

✓ 21. DEBORAH CHURCH¹ (Joseph², Richard¹), b 1672; m 13 July, 1699, Samuel Gray of Edward and Dorothy (Lettice), b 1682, d 23 Mar., 1711-2; m 2d, between 23 Mar., 1712 and 3 June, 1713,

* See my family group sheet - six of these children died in 6 days of a "throat distemper"
Only Mary, Hannah, Joseph & Dorothy married & had children.

m/2
Daniel Thrope of William of Bristol, R. I. It has been suggested that his father or grandfather was Col. Adrian Scroope the regicide. (Arnold, Church Family.)

CHILDREN OF SAMUEL AND DEBORAH (CHURCH) GRAY.

- ✓ 87. Samuel, b 16 Apr., 1700.
88. John, b 14 Apr., 1701.
89. Dorothy, b 14 Jan., 1704.
90. Joseph, b 20 Jan., 1706.
91. Lydia, b 16 Oct., 1707; m 25 Aug., 1731, Joseph Ladd, b 9 Oct., 1701, d in Little Compton, R. I., son of William and Elizabeth (Tompkins); their daughter Elizabeth (or Betsey), b July, 1733, at Little Compton, d 27 Nov., 1814, m 1755, Benedict Oatley, b 25 Dec., 1732, d 1 Aug., 1821; their daughter Abigail, b 7 July, 1768, d 9 Nov., 1831, m 28 Jan., 1799, Benjamin Taylor Peckham, son of George Hazard and Sarah (Taylor), b 22 Oct., 1773, d 16 Dec., 1853; their daughter Mary, b 25 Sept., 1803, d 16 Feb., 1853, m 15 July, 1821, Samuel Rodman, b 3 May, 1800, d 9 May, 1882; their daughter Sarah Abigail, b 15 Sept., 1840, m 27 Sept., 1865, William Woodward of Baltimore, Md., b 31 Dec., 1835, d 20 Mar., 1889; their son William Woodward, b in New York City, 7 Apr., 1876, m 24 Oct., 1904, Elizabeth Ogden Cryder, daughter of Duncan and Elizabeth (Ogden); their children are Edith Woodward, Elizabeth Ogden Woodward and Sarah Woodward.
92. Simeon, b 15 Dec., 1709.
93. Ignatius, b 18 Sept. 1711.

25. ABIGAIL CHURCH¹ (Joseph², Richard¹), b 1680; d 4 July, 1720, in Little Compton, R. I.; m 1696, William Simmons of John and Mercy (Pabodie), b 1672, d 1765. Among her descendants is Hon. Charlemagne Tower, late Ambassador to Russia and Germany. (Arnold, Church Family.)

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM AND ABIGAIL (CHURCH) SIMMONS.

94. Mercy, b 1 July, 1697.
95. William, b 30 Sept., 1699.
96. Lydia, b 15 Dec., 1700.
97. Joseph, b 4 Mar., 1702.
98. John, b 14 Aug., 1704.
99. Abigail, b 14 July, 1706.
100. Rebecca, b 8 May, 1708.
101. Mary, b 15 Oct., 1709.
102. Benjamin, b 2 Feb., 1713.

- 2- WILCOX Mrs. Anstess, and Deacon Josiah Sawyer, Jan. 27, 1791.
 2-38 " Josiah, of Tiverton, and Phoebe, of Tiverton, and Hannah Seabury, of Constant and Susanna, of Little Compton; m. by Rev. Mase Shepherd, Nov. 2, 1800.
 2-97 " Betsey, and Cranston Wilbur, June 27, 1832.
 21 WILKIE Jacob; m. —, 1804.
 79 WILLISON Ichabod, and Dorothy —, Aug. —, 1704.
 84, 167 " Anna, and Edward Manchester, Feb. 4, 1720.
 79, 168 " Nath, and Robert Carter; Int. Dec. 23, 1723; m. Jan. 21, 1726.
 79, 171 " John, of Little Compton, and Hannah Sawyer, of Tiverton; m. by Richard Billings, Justice; Int. July 19; m. Aug. 27, 1730.
 174 " Abigail, and Thomas Stoddard; Int. July 6; m. 28, 1734.
 127, 173 " Phoebe, and Eleazer Vose; Int. Aug. 27; m. Sept. 11, 1737.
 74, 177 " Susannah, and Jacob Burgess; Int. Aug. 11, 1733; m. Sept. —, 1739.
 4-40 WILSON Chaney N., of Somerset, Mass., son of Pearley and Hannah, dec., and Louisa S. Kirby, of Stephen, dec., and Almy; m. by Rev. Richard Donkasey, June 6, 1817.
 173 WINCHESTER Sarah, and Phoebe Southworth; Int. Oct. 27, 1732.
 4-45 WING Deborah H., and Lemuel Gammons, Jr., Nov. 25, 1840.
 79 WINSLOW Nathaniel; m. about 1767.
 187 " Josiah, and Rhodes Church; m. by Rev. Jonathan Ellis, June 13, 1737.
 15 WOODMAN John, and Hannah Timberlake, about 1676.
 164 " Hannah, and Nicholas Howland, Oct. 26, 1697.
 80, 164 " Robert, and Deborah Pad dock; m. by Joseph Church, Justice, Nov. 11, 1706.
 80, 165 " John, and Elizabeth Briggs; m. by Richard Billings, Justice, Oct. 21, 1708.
 81, 165 " Edward, and Margaret Taylor; m. by Joseph Church, Justice, Oct. —, 1708.
 84, 165 " Edith, and Thomas Church, April 16, 1712.
 166 " Elizabeth, and Joshua Easton, Feb. 6, 1717.
 89, 174 " Abigail, and Richard Billings; Int. Aug. 31; m. Sept. 22, 1734.
 174 " Hannah, and Parker Hall; Int. Nov. 9; m. Dec. 19, 1734.
 112, 175 " Elizabeth, and William Pearce; Int. Oct. 18; m. Nov. 2, 1735.
 110, 175 " John, and Pudence Grinnell; Int. Oct. 25; m. by Richard Billings, Justice, Nov. 30, 1735.
 111, 175 " Sylvester, and Elizabeth Dring; m. by Richard Billings, Justice; Int. Nov. 23; m. Dec. 18, 1735.
 91, 178 " Edith, and Thomas Wilbur; Int. Feb. 2; m. March 9, 1740.
 178 " Elizabeth, and Richard Mason; Int. May 31, 1740.
 179 " Daniel, and Mary Gray; m. by Richard Billings, Justice; Int. Aug. 7; m. 24, 1742.
 119, 180 " Thomas, and Sarah Grinnell; m. by Richard Billings, Justice; Int. Nov. 19, 1743; m. Jan. 11, 1747.
 111, 183 " William, and Mary Pearce; m. by Joseph Wood, Justice, March 23, 1749.
 184 " Mary, and Benjamin Southworth, Feb. 12, 1750.
 113, 184 " Deborah, and George Pearce, Oct. 25, 1750.
 188 " Elipha, and John Weeden, Dec. 1, 1759.
 113, 188 " Precilla, and George Pearce, Feb. 4, 1762.
 143 " John, and Jeremia Dennis, about 1767.
 145 " John, and Susannah Cook, —, 1769.
 204 " Betsey, and Lemuel Sawyer, Nov. 9, 1777.
 2- " Re-scome, of John, of Little Compton, and Hannah Howland, of Dartmouth; m. by Benjamin Atkins, Justice, April 9, 1778.
 205 " Zilph, and Job Mather's or, May 24, 1774.
 2- " William, of William, dec., and Mary, and Precilla Brownell, of George and Sarah; m. by Rev. Jonathan Ellis, Aug. 4, 1782.
 145 " Edward, and Precilla Nicks, Oct. 13, 1782.
 2-70 " John, and Precilla —, Oct. 13, 1782.
 2- " Sylvester, of William, and Marchah Brownell, of John; m. by Enos Gifford, Justice, March 16, 1786.
 2-40 " Deborah, and John Woodman, April 23, 1790.

- 2-40 WOODMAN John, 2d, of Sylvester, and Deborah Woodman of John; m. by Enos Gifford, Justice, April 23, 1790.
 2-38 " Deborah, and Samuel Tillaghts Grinnell, Sept. 6, 1797.
 2-44 " Susannah Rhoda, and William Seabury, April 12, 1807.
 4-22 " Enock, and Phoebe Wilbur, Dec. 6, 1807.
 2-55 " Clarke, of Little Compton, son of John, and Silena Gray, of Tiverton, dau. of Pardon; m. at Tiverton by Rev. Benjamin Peckham, June 14, 1812.
 2-40 " Caroline, and Robert Seabury, Jan. 3, 1813.
 2-58 " Robert, and Mary Hunt; m. at Tiverton by Rev. Benjamin Peckham, June 20, 1817.
 2-61 " Enock, of William and Precilla, and Phoebe Wilbur, of Brownell and Esther; m. by Rev. Mase Shepherd, Dec. 6, 1817.
 2-90 " George, of William and Precilla, and Phoebe Simmons, of William and Rebecca; m. by Rev. Benjamin Peckham, Feb. 10, 1821.
 4-21, 438 " Eliza, and Nat Pearce, Dec. 16, 1821.
 4-2, 430 " Humphrey, and Ruby Ladd; m. by Rev. Benjamin Peckham, Feb. 10, 1830.
 4-432 " George, and Mercy Simmons; m. by George C. Bailey, Justice, June 6, 1832.
 4-439 " Phoebe M., and William T. Devoil, June 17, 1846.
 8 WOODWORTH Walter; m. —, 1690.
 8 " Joseph; m. —, 1694.
 8 " Hezekiah; m. —, 1697.
 51, 164 " Elizabeth, and Benjamin Southworth, Dec. 18, 1701.
 60, 164 " Catherine, and Thomas Daveport, July 20, 1704.
 167 " Naoma, and William Hall, Dec. 28, 1719.
 37, 167 " Deborah, and Caleb Church, Dec. 6, 1721.
 88, 167 " Joseph, Jr., and Anna Manchester; m. by Richard Billings, Justice, Oct. 17, 1722.
 168 " Hannah, and Thomas Jackson, Oct. 15, 1724.
 39 " Jedediah, and Margaret —, about 1724.
 80, 169 " Elihu, of Little Compton, and Silence Staughton, of Dartmouth; m. by Sylvester Richmond, Justice; Int. Feb. 11; m. March 6, 1727.
 89 " Elsha, and Jane —, —, 1728.
 89, 171 " Elsha, of Little Compton, and Anna Clapp, of Scituate, Mass.; Int. Aug. 25, 1734.
 184 " Anna, and Timothy Hargles, April 17, 1750.
 185 " Hannah, and Constant Church, Nov. 18, 1751.
 128, 185 " Sybel, and Constant Hix, March 4, 1752.
 90, 186 " Hezekiah, and Abigail Southworth; m. by Joseph Wood, Justice, Dec. 13, 1753.
 100, 186 " Thomas, and Judith Briggs; m. by Rev. Jonathan Ellis, Sept. 13, 1755.
 188 " Deborah, and William Smith, Aug. 21, 1763.
 2- " Robert W., of Newport, son of William, dec., and Martha, and Delina Dring, of Philip; m. by Adam Simmons, Justice, Feb. 27, 1764.
 2- " Esther, and Jonathan Wilbur, Nov. 8, 1767.
 2- " Elsha, of Hezekiah, dec., and Abigail, and Mrs. Edith Wilbur, of Charles and Hannah, dec.; m. by Rev. Mase Shepherd, Nov. 11, 1790.
 2-58 " Hezekiah, of Elsha and Edith, and Rhoda Springer, of John and Rhoda; m. by Rev. Mase Shepherd, Dec. 27, 1810.
 2-96 " Samuel, of Elsha and Edith, and Almira Wilbur, of Isaac and Lydia (also 4-5); m. by Thomas Burgess, Justice, Dec. 31, 1821.
 4-83 " Abigail, and Owen Wilbur, Jan. 9, 1831.
 2-95 " Elsha, and Lydia Brownell (also 4-136); m. by Rev. Jonathan King, Dec. 10, 1834.
 10 WOOD John, and Mary —, —, 1688.
 2- " Thomas; m. 1690.
 81, 164 " Jonathan, and Elizabeth Thurston; m. by Joseph Church, Justice, Jan. 6, 1703.

md.
 Mary
 Church

DURFEE

An article by Winthrop C. Durfee, in Wm. F. Reed's *The Descendants of Thomas Durfee* [5-13], identifies Thomas Durfee's origins as being, probably, French Huguenot. "From a careful search of all available printed English records, including Army and Navy, civil government, wills, probate, parish records of London and Canterbury, the name Durfee appears not to have been in England before 1628 and not to be there after 1723." Possibly Thomas¹ Durfee was a cousin of Thomas Durfee (1653-1723), the dramatist, who is identified by the *Encyclopaedia Britannica* as belonging "to a Huguenot family at Exeter," and who was a nephew of Honore d'Urfe and a strong Tory.

Mrs. Stratton has suggested a search by the Office de Documentation, Société des amis de la Bibliothèque Nationale, 58 rue de Richelieu, Paris.

Thomas Durfee (or d'Urfe) the dramatist did visit New England, and a poem he wrote about it was published in 1719. It is not known whether he met any members of the Durfee family there.

A history of the d'Urfe family of France was published by Honore d'Urfe, a noted poet who lived 1565 to 1625, and there is, or was, a copy in the Boston Public Library. He relied on a book, *Origins des Urfe*, by M. Augusta J. Bernard, custodian of the historical documents of France, and on a d'Urfe genealogy written about 1300 by Anne d'Urfe, count of Forez. The family failed of direct heirs in 1724 [Stratton]. The early part of the family history seems to have been inspired by the story of Romulus and Remus, and hence can be questioned easily.

1. THOMAS¹ DURFEE, born in England in 1643, died in Portsmouth, Rhode Island, in the summer of 1712.

The identity of his first wife is not proven, but in 1664 the "insolent carriage of Thomas Durfee with the sayd [Peter¹] Tallmans (q.v.) wife" was brought to the attention of the Rhode Island General Assembly [RCRI, 2:85], and on 3 May 1665 Peter Tallman was given a divorce from his wife as she admitted she had had a child "begotten by another man" [RCRI, 2:123]. Thus Ann (Hill) Tallman was probably his first wife, and their son Robert the child in question. Thomas Durfee married second, some time before 1698, Mrs. Deliverance (Hall) Tripp, widow of Abiel Tripp and daughter of William and Mary Hall; Abiel Tripp had died 10 Sept. 1684 [Austin]. Deliverance (Hall) (Tripp) Durfee made her will on 8 April 1718, and it was proven 13 Feb. 1721/2.

He came to Portsmouth about 1660 [Holmes], possibly as a redemptioner [Reed, 14]. He was freeman in 1673 [Stratton], and on 23 April 1679 he was granted, for ten shillings, a license "to sell victuals and drink to travelers, and to afford them Entertainment as may be needful and convenient." He was elected Constable of Portsmouth for one year terms commencing 14 June 1687 and 2 April 1690.

On 4 April 1691 he was chosen one of the overseers of the poor, and on 29 December of the same year he was a Deputy. He was elected to the town council 4 April 1692 and 20 April 1694, and was again Deputy on 20 Dec. 1694 [Reed; Stratton, 153-154].

His will, dated 4 Feb. 1710, was proven 14 July 1712.

Children, by first wife, born in Portsmouth:

- i. Robert², b. 10 March 1665 [Reed]; m. Mary³ Sanford.
- ii. Richard, m. Ann³ Almy; lived in Tiverton, R. I.
2. iii. Thomas, b. 1669; m. Ann³ Freeborn.
- iv. William, m. (1) Ann, m. (2) Mary; lived in Portsmouth and Tiverton.
- v. Ann, m. (1) Brayton, m. (2) William³ Potter; mentioned in Thomas Durfee's will without designation of a specific relationship.
- vi. Benjamin, b. 1679 [NEGR, 111:63]; m. Prudence³ Earle.

Children, by first [Austin], or second [Reed], wife, born in Portsmouth:

- vii. Patience, m. Portsmouth 23 Sept. 1708 Benjamin² Tallman.
- viii. Deliverance, m. Portsmouth 23 April 1724 William Cory.

2. THOMAS² DURFEE, born in Portsmouth, Rhode Island, in 1669 died there 11 Feb. 1729.

He married Ann³ Freeborn*, who died before him.

On 30 Jan. 1689 he was deeded eight acres of land and his father's dwelling house. He served as Deputy in 1707-1709 a 1713. His will, dated 9 Feb. 1729, was proven 24 Feb. 1729

Children, born in Portsmouth [Arnold, 7:55]:

- i. Ann³, b. 25 August 1691; m. 22 Dec. 1715 [Ar 15] Robert Estes.
- ii. Sarah, b. 1 March 1693.
- iii. Freeborn, b. 15 Dec. 1695.
- iv. Patience, b. 12 June 1697.
- v. Mary, b. 22 Jan. 1700.
- * vi. Martha, b. 20 Feb. 1701/2; m. Portsmouth 27 Dec. 1730 [Reed] Oliver³ Read.
- vii. Gideon, b. 15 Jan. 1703/4; m. Portsmouth 11 Nov. 1725 Wait Tripp.
- viii. Thomas, b. 6 June 1706; m. Portsmouth 15 June 1729 Sarah Briggs.
- ix. Susannah, b. ca. 1708.
- x. Job, b. ca. 1710; m. Portsmouth 17 Sept. 1730 Elizabeth Chase.
- xi. Elizabeth, b. ca. 1712; had an uncle, William Anthony, through the marriage of Aunt Patience Freeborn, who became her guardian.

Lt George Ward & Jean Hannah (Dorothy Ward's sister) married George Gideon Durfee & they lived in Seneca, N.Y. - as she did (died in 1809). The above nearly shows where the early Durfees came from.

him, John having run away previously. Another line was mentioned in NEHGR, 84:490.

1. NATHANIEL¹ TOOGOOD, born perhaps in England about 1645, died sometime after 24 Dec. 1686.

His wife's name was Elizabeth.

On 22 Feb. 1668/9 he signed an agreement separating Swansea from Rehoboth, Plymouth Colony [Bowen, 1:36]. In the meeting of the Proprietors to divide land on New Meadow Neck, 5 July 1679, he received lot number 35 (of 58), and on 24 Dec. 1686 he was fifty-first of fifty-eight in the drawing and received lot number 94 (of 106) in the division of pasture lands in Twooset Neck, alias Sheep Pasture [Bowen, 1:42-43].

Children [Boston Evening Transcript, 25 March 1907:8897]:

i. Nathaniel², b. ca. 1670; m. (1 August 1684 [sic], according to Carter) Martha [Holman, 266], who apparently m. (2) Swansea 27 Nov. 1706 Benjamin Carpenter.

Children: 1. Rachel³, b. 23 April 1693.

2. Dorothy, b. 30 (20 in Carter) Nov. 1696, m. Jan. 1720 John Millard. 3. Martha, b. 6 Oct. 1698. 4. Samuel, b. 30 Sept. 1700, m. Ann Bowerman.

ii. John, b. Boston, Mass., 20 April 1679; d. 12 March 1714; m. Hannah Dean.

* iii. Elizabeth, b. Boston 25 July 1782; m. (1) 10 June 1702 John⁴ Bosworth, m. (2) Bristol, Mass. (now R. I.), 18 Feb. 1723/4 James Thurber.

iv. Mary, b. Feb. 1686; m. (1) Swansea 28 Dec. 1710 Joshua² Kent, perhaps m. (2) 22 Jan. 1730 Joseph Barney [see also Mary³ Kent, above], m. (2 or 3) Joseph Hodges.

TRIPP

Susanna Pearce b. 14 Mar 1712 dau James & Phoebe (Ward) married a Tripp (is NY?) likely of the family below. Need to know more.

(a Tripp developed the Charles Island red chicken breed see Breeds file)

As indices and resources for English ancestry improve and expand it may become possible to trace the ancestry of this family.

1. JOHN¹ TRIPP, according to undocumented tradition the son of John and Isabel (Moses) Tripp of Lincolnshire, born in Northumberland, England, in 1610, was of record as having his will proved in Portsmouth, Rhode Island, 28 Dec. 1678 [Dillon; Austin; Randall]. He married Mary² Paine*, who married second, 4 April 1682, Benjamin Engell. She died 12 Feb. 1687.

He came to America in 1635 as an apprentice carpenter with his master Randall Holden [Randall], who was from Salisbury, Wiltshire, England [Austin]. He went to Portsmouth in 1638, and was a signer of the Rhode Island Compact.

He owned land in Portsmouth, Narragansett and Westerly in Rhode Island, and Dartmouth in Plymouth Colony. (A Quaker) he was Deputy to the Rhode Island Assembly from 1648 to 1672, and Assistant from 1670 to 1675. He also served as a member of the town council for many years.

According to a deposition made by William Collinge in 1666, Richard Searl sold a three acre lot just above the town ferry to Mary Paine, afterwards the wife of John Tripp, for a pint of wine, the sale taking place at the house of William Baulstone (q.v.), where apparently Mary was a barmaid [West, RIHSC, 25:71]. John Tripp later ran the ferry from this site.

Peleg² and Anne² (Sisson) Tripp, below, were ancestors of President Harding, the line of descent being Job³, Isaac⁴, William⁵, and Phebe⁶ Tripp, George Tryon Harding, Charles Alexander Harding, George Tryon Harding (2nd) and Warren Gamaliel Harding [Miller, 26].

Children, probably all born in Portsmouth:

2. i. John², d. South Kingston 20 Nov. 1719; m. 7 Sept. 1665 Susannah² Anthony.
 - ii. Peleg, m. Anne² Sisson.
3. iii. Joseph, m. 6 August 1677 Mehitabel² Fish.
 - iv. Mary, m. (1) Gershom² Wodell, m. (2) 5 March 1683 Jonathan Gatchell, m. (3) William¹ Wodell.
 - v. Elizabeth, m. Zuriel² Hall.
 - vi. Alice, m. 26 Jan. 1671 John² Hall.
 - vii. Isabel, m. 4 March 1675 Samson² Sherman.
 - viii. Abiel, m. 30 Jan. 1679 Deliverance² Hall.
 - ix. James, m. (1) 19 Jan. 1682 Mercy² Lawton, m. (2) Lydia, m. (3) 12 August 1702 Elizabeth Cudworth.
 - * x. Martha, m. 23 Feb. 1681 Samuel² Sherman.
 - xi. Sylvanus, possible son, m. Margaret Diamond; lived in Kittery, Mass. (now Maine).

2. JOHN² TRIPP, born in Portsmouth, Rhode Island, about 1640, died in South Kingston, R. I., 20 Nov. 1719. His will was proved there 14 Dec. 1719.

He married in Portsmouth, 7 Sept. 1665, Susannah² Anthony*.

Children, born in Portsmouth [1:62]:

- * i. Susannah³, b. 31 Oct. 1667; m. Thomas³ Potter.
- ii. Mary, b. 9 Dec. 1670.
- iii. John, b. 19 July 1673.
- iv. Othniel, b. 5 June 1676.
- v. Benjamin, b. 21 Feb. 1677/8.
- vi. Lot, b. 26 Dec. 1684.

3. JOSEPH² TRIPP, born in Portsmouth, Rhode Island, about 1644, died in Dartmouth, Massachusetts, 17 [27 in Austin] Nov. 1718. His will was proved in 1719.

He married in Dartmouth, 6 August 1677, Mehitabel² Fish*.

He was listed as freeman in 1668, and served as a member of the Court of Trials on 2 Oct. 1677. He represented Dartmouth as a Deputy in 1685 and served as a Selectman from 1686 to 1690.

Children, born in Dartmouth:

- i. John³, b. 6 July 1668.
- ii. Thomas, b. 28 March 1670.
- iii. Jonathan, b. 5 Oct. 1671; m. Martha Brownell of Little Compton.
- iv. Peleg, b. 5 Nov. 1673.
- v. Ebenezer, b. 17 Dec. 1675; m. there 20 Jan. 1702/3 Abigail.

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4. vi. James, b. 12 Jan. 1677; m. Mary.
- vii. Alice, b. 1 Feb. 1679; m. (perhaps Joshua³) Sherman.
- viii. Abiel, b. 8 Jan. 1681; m. Anne Davis of Tiverton.
- ix. Mehitabel, b. 9 Oct. 1683; m. Eph. Sherman [Valentine, 183].
- x. Joseph, b. 24 August 1685; m. there 13 Oct. 1709 Elizabeth Smith.
- xi. Jabez, b. 3 Nov. 1687; possibly m. Hepzibah Daggett.
- xii. Mary, b. 22 August 1689; m. there 25 Jan. 1710/1 Thomas Wait.
- xiii. Daniel, b. 3 Nov. 1691.

4. JAMES³ TRIPP was born in Dartmouth, Plymouth Colony, 12 Jan. 1677.

His wife's name was Mary.

He was an early settler in Dutchess County, New York.

Children, recorded at Dartmouth:

- i. Thomas⁴, b. 9 Oct. 1710; m. there 17 May 1731 Esther Brightman; witness at Pawling, N. Y., 1778.
- ii. William, b. 27 Feb. 1712/3.
5. iii. Timothy, b. 22 Oct. 1716; m. 21 August 1740 Patience Brownell.
- iv. Mary, b. 14 Oct. 1720.
- v. Isaac, b. 2 Jan. 1726/7; m. there 4 Jan. 1749/50 Thankful Brownell.

5. TIMOTHY⁴ TRIPP, born in Dartmouth, Massachusetts, 22 Oct. 1716, perhaps died in New York State.

He married 21 August 1740 [Boston Transcript, 8 April 1903:6268] Patience Brownell, who was perhaps of Little Compton, Rhode Island. Their children were early settlers of Saratoga County, New York. Children, listed in *Tripp Wills and Ways* [Valentine, 183]:

- i. Thomas⁵, b. Dartmouth 31 July 1741; d. prob. in Stillwater, N. Y., 11 Feb. 1819, aged 77; m. Children: 1. Levi⁶, d. young. 2. Rhoda, m. Benjamin Hoag. 3. Susannah. 4. Sarah. 5. Moses, m. Hannah Hoag, owned land in Half Moon, N. Y.
6. ii. Lovet, b. 6 Dec. 1747; m. 18 March 1764 Margaret⁵ Wood.
- iii. Pardon, b. 5 Oct. 1754; m. (1) Abigail Wood, perhaps m. (2) Asenath.

6. LOVET⁵ TRIPP, born in Dartmouth, Massachusetts, 6 Dec. 1747, died in Saratoga County, New York, 12 Feb. 1822, aged 74.

He married in Tiverton, Rhode Island, 15 Sept. 1771 [Arnold, 8: 68], Margaret⁵ Wood*, who died 31 July 1802. Their intentions had been published in Dartmouth 21 August 1771.

At one time they attended the United Congregational Church of Tiverton. Apparently they lived in that part of Dartmouth which was set off as the town of Westport in 1787 before they moved to Saratoga County with the Pardon Kirby family in 1808.

Children, listed in Westport records:

- * i. Patience⁶, b. Dartmouth 19 July 1779; m. Westport 7 Jan. 1802 Paul⁶ Kirby.
- ii. Esther, b. Dartmouth 30 April 1781; d. Westport 16

May 1796.

- iii. Mary, b. Westport 5 Jan. 1789; m. 7 Feb. 1807 David Coggeshall.
- iv. Timothy, b. Westport 24 Feb. 1792.

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UNDERHILL

Descendants of this line are fortunate in that an unusual amount of research has been done in England. However, it is likely that additional records are available since the works of Mrs. Frost and Mr. Morrison were published in the 1930s, which would allow the tracing of the ancestry of some of the wives.

The reader should note that Augustus Price Underhill's article in *NYGBR* [58:352ff.] contains major errors in the account of the early generations.

1. ROBERT^K de UNDERHULLE, of Underhill in the parish of Bushbury, about four miles north of Wolverhampton in Staffordshire, England, was born perhaps about 1260, and was living in 1313.

In 1308 he quitclaimed to his son Thomas in Bushbury, "part of the rent of a tenement at Underhulle in Bisshebury," which he lately purchased of William de Underhulle. He was mentioned as an attorney on 17 June 1313 [see *Foot of Fine*].

Children, listed by Morrison:

- i. Thomas¹, flourished 1308-1333.
2. ii. Richard, fl. 1311-1343.

2. RICHARD¹ de UNDERHULL, born probably in Underhill, Bushbury, Staffordshire, England, about 1285, was of record as late as 1343.

Mrs. Frost cited the manuscripts of John Huntbach, nephew of Sir William Dugdale, as a source of information on the line. Richard was mentioned in documents dated 1311, 1314, 1319 and 1343, as well as being of record as paying a subsidy at Wednesfield, about two miles southeast of Bushbury, in 1333.

Child, only one listed in the pedigree:

3. i. Thomas⁰, m. (1) Elena, m. (2) Isabella.

3. THOMAS⁰ UNDERHULL, born probably in Underhill, Bushbury, Staffordshire, England, about 1320, was of record as late as 1398. He married first Elena, and second Isabella [Morrison, 23]. He purchased lands in Wednesfield, Staffordshire. His name is found in the records from 1343 to 1398.

Children, by first wife:

4. i. William⁰, m. Joan.
- ii. Thomas.
- iii. John, living 1454.
- iv. Julia.
- v. Joan.

4. WILLIAM⁰ UNDERHULL, born perhaps about 1370, was of record in 1417.

His wife Joan was not a member of the Stanley family of West Bromwich, as has been suggested by the 1563 Visitation of Warwick-

Children (3rd col.):

- i. Sarah, born 2: 2mo.: 1684/5.
- ii. John, born 10 Aug. 1688.
- iii. Rebecca, born 10 Feb. 1690/1.
- iv. Joseph, born 14 Aug. 1693.
- v. Mary, born 1695.
- vi. Job, born about 1699.
- vii. Samuel, born 4 July 1706.
- viii. Patience, born about 1708.

Joseph (2nd col.), Mariner. Landowner in East and West Jersey, New York and Pennsylvania. On 25 Dec. 1685 had license to purchase 1200 acres of Indian lands at Crosswick, N. J. On 20 Jan. 1687/8 bought 474 acres in East Jersey of his brother John. Will dated at Philadelphia, 2 Dec. 1689, proved 3 Oct. 1690. Unmarried.

(2nd col.) A daughter married ——— Taylor and died before 30 Oct. 1666. ("Throckmorton Family History" by F. G. Sitherwood, 1929.)

THURSTON. Jonathan (p. 201, 2nd col.), in his will change "daughter Abigail Wait" to "daughter Abigail White." William White, Jr., of Dartmouth married, 2 Oct. 1729, Abigail Thurston, dau. of Jonathan and Sarah (*American Genealogist*, Vol. 17, p. 194; Arnold's Vital Rec. of R. I., Vol. 4, pp. 66, 64.)

TOSIL. William (p. 207, 1st col.) is evidently identical with the William Mackontoss, who was one of the Scotch prisoners taken at Worcester and shipped to New England in the *Sarah and John* to work at their iron works at Braintree, Mass. (*New Eng. Hist. & Gen. Reg.*, Vol. 1, p. 379). He went from Braintree to Block Island in the first settlement as a tenant of Thomas Paxon of Braintree and occurs there on 17 Sept. 1662, as "William Toys Scotsman" (*cf.* Tormet Rose, *ante*). Married at Braintree on 7: 6mo.: 1660, Jael Swilvan (?Sullivan).

Mercy (2nd col.). To her children add Mary, born at Lyme, Conn., on 5 Jan. 1692/3, and Mercy, born about 1695.

TURNER. Lawrence (p. 209, 1st col.) is evidently the Lawrence Turner who figures as an unsavory character in the early Essex Co., Mass., Court Records as of Lynn, Mass. His Rhode Island career shows him as a reformed character.

VINCENT. William (p. 213, 1st col.) was the son of Thomas and Fridiswide (Carpenter) Vincent of Amesbury, Wilts., bapt. 17 June 1638 (*cf.* *R. I. Hist. Soc. Coll.*, Vol. 14, p. 81). His mother was a sister of William Carpenter of Providence.

WANTON. Edward (p. 215, 1st col.) was first of York, Me., where in Nov. 1651 he bought land at Cape Neddick, which he sold in Nov. 1657 to his brother-in-law, John Smith. By tradition he came, aged 19 years, with his mother from London. He was a shipwright at Boston in 1658 and a resident of Scituate, Mass., in 1661. Deposed in April 1716 aged 84 years that about 64 years before he had lived in Wells, Me. Married 1st, Elizabeth ———, and 2ndly, Mary ———. The first three children were by the first wife.

John (2nd col.) of Scituate and Newport. Delete "married Mary Stafford" and replace with "married Mary, daughter of Sylvester and Elizabeth (Norton) Stover of Cape Neddick, York, Me. (their intention in Boston was forbid 15 Nov. 1695, but they were married nevertheless) (Libby's *Gen. Dic. Me. & N. H.*, Pt. V, pp. 718, 667).

Edward (3rd col.), son of William & Ruth, died in Barbados on 21 Feb. 1720/1 and was buried in the Cathedral churchyard at Bridgetown (*N. E. Hist. & Gen. Reg.*, Vol. 67, p. 371).

WIALLEY. Theophilus (p. 221, 1st col.) was of Farnham Parish, Rappahannock Co., Va., prior to his coming to Rhode Island (Essex Co., Va., Records).

WIGHTMAN. George (p. 226, 1st col.) was probably the son of George Wightman, whose brother, Ralph Wightman, citizen and merchant tailor of St. Mary-le-Bow parish, London, married Katherine, sister of Roger Williams, and whose will was dated 27 Dec. 1628 and proved 9 Feb. 1628/9 (*N. E. Hist. & Gen. Reg.*, Vol. 43, p. 293).

WOOD. John (p. 230, 1st col.) was also of Newport. He, "of Newport," was defendant in a suit in the Newport Quarter Sessions Court on 7 June 1643 and was a surety in that Court in March 1645; in Dec. 1646 he was sued in the Newport Court by William Withington (Chapin's *Doc. Hist. of R. I.*, Vol. 2). He was granted 40 acres, "near William Weeden's farm." Freeman at Portsmouth 10 July 1648. Juryman at a Trial Court at Warwick 26 May 1649. On 1 March 1649/50 "John Wood Sr." of Portsmouth bought 45 acres in that town near the Newport line. He was recorded as a Freeman of Newport in 1655, the year of his death.

ALMY. William (p. 236, 1st col.) of Saugus, Sandwich, Mass., and Portsmouth, R. I. Probably born at Dunton Basset or South Kilworth, co. Leics., about 1600 (deposed 20 (4) 1654

Edward
claims he
was
Wood?

John ②?

Family Record

(Pease Ancestors)?
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Family No.

Peabody

Surname

Father - John PEABODY

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth			1642			England	This may not be our ancestor, though many good early authorities including B. & W. Willbourn "Little Croyton families" thought he was!	
Death	before 22 June		1687	? Newport		Rhode Island		
Buried	(will proved in)		Boston			Rhode Island		
Married			ca 1642?	? Newport				
Occupation				Military		Church		
Places Lived								
Other Wives	② ca 1677 in Newport - widow Mary (widow of James Rogers (1609-1616))					Rogers		
						His Father's Name	Peabody	
						His Mother's Maiden Name		

Mother - Dorothy Tally

(Tasley, etc)

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth			16			England		
Death	before 1687		1687	Newport		Rhode Island		
Buried								
Occupation				Military		Church		
Places Lived								
Other Husbands								

Wood Family for children of John & Mary (Peabody) Wood

Her Father's Name Thomas Tally
Her Mother's Maiden Name Rebecca

Children Birth Order uncertain - Sources scanty & conflicting

Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
1.	John Peabody	Birth			16	Newport?			
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married				Newport?			
2.	Mary Peabody	Birth			16	"			
	Spouse - as th. wife John Wood (ca 1672-1709)	Death						See note below	
		Married			ca 1656				
3.	Hannah Peabody	Birth			16				
	Spouse - John Reed, Jr. (1721)	Death			1727			of Newport & Pawtucket	
		Married			before 1670				
4.	Elizabeth Peabody	Birth			16				
	Spouse - Joseph David (-1716) son Wm (not Benjamin David! - to Merimouth N.H.)	Death			after 1716			of Westley / Newport / Merimouth N.H.	
		Married							
5.	Deborah (or Rebecca?) Peabody	Birth			16				
	Spouse - Ebenezer Moody	Death							
		Married			well b-fro 1687				
6.	Ann Peabody	Birth							
	Spouse - Nicholas Catrael/Catrell, Jr. (not Jabez Catrael!)	Death							
		Married							
7.	Jane Peabody	Birth			16				
	Spouse - Jonathan Smith (1655-1724)	Death							
		Married			16 Mar 1684	Watertown?			

Main source for above - NEHGR 117:96 - article by Dorothy Wood Ewers, attached, also N.E. Mornings before 1700 by C. A. Torrey. Ewers says Austin's R.I. Dictionary & several genealogies contain errors. There is no real evidential connecting this family with the Peabody family or Francis Peabody of Ipswich & N.H. However, it now appears O.K. that John Wood - first person of our Wood's Pease ancestors may have been of DIFFERENT Ancestry! (Save this in case the new theory proves to be wrong.)

10.

Birth
Death
Married

Spouse -

Additional children listed on the reverse side.

In the circles, identify by number your sources of information - then list each on the reverse side.

Family Record

(Possible Peare Ancestors)

Family No.

Tally

Surname

Father - Thomas TULLY (aka Toohey, etc)

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth		ca	1600			England?	See NEHGR 117: 86	
Death	before	1680	- 1688	Newport		Rhode Island	(Toohey sounds like an Irish name, doesn't it?)	
Buried								
Married								
Occupation					Military		Church	
Places Lived							Purchased share in "Quononagatt Island" in Narragansett Bay.	
Other Wives								

Except for John Peabody's birthdate the birthdates are guesses

His Father's Name

Tally

His Mother's Maiden Name

Mother - Rebecca

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth		ca	1605?			England?		
Death	after	1684						
Buried								
Occupation					Military		Church	
Places Lived								
Other Husbands							about 1683 she m@d Montcal's Borden (aka Montecary Borden).	

Her Father's Name

Her Mother's Maiden Name

See Peabody for children of John & Dorothy (Tally) Peabody

Children There could have been others. It's assumed Rebecca was mother, not step-mother.

Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
7	1. Dorothy Tally	Birth		ca	1625?			England?	
	Spouse - John Peabody (1612-1687)	Death							
		Married							
	2.	Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
	3.	Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
	4.	Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
	5.	Birth							
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	8.								
	Spouse -								
	9.								
	Spouse -								
	10.								
	Spouse -								

Even the Tally/Tollies had Norman lineage!

Norman People says both names were from Tuelly - Robert Tuelou, Normandy 1140-95
Richard le Toige in England 1272.

(He took his name from his birth place, Tuelou in NORMANDY.)

In the circles, identify by number your sources of information - then list each on the reverse side.

man 2 May 1666. Orville Augustus Dee and Myrtle M. Jillson in the *Davol-Dee Genealogy*, 1954, p. 1, indicate that Benjamin² Davol, son of William, married first, Elizabeth, daughter of John Peabody, and secondly, Judith ———; and his brother Joseph² Davol married first, Mary Brayton, and secondly, Elizabeth ———, who survived him.

Recently Mrs. Peter Bolhouse, while inventorying the manuscripts of the Newport Historical Society, came across a paper, dated 20 April 1687, showing the division of an unnamed estate. Mrs. Oliver Cushman, who has worked with me on Peabody-Wood lines, recognized it as that of the estate of John Peabody and sent me a transcript as well as a photostat. This gives the first names of the sons-in-law as: Nicholas Cottrell, Ebenezer Moon, Jonathan Smith, John Wood, Joseph Devol, and John Reed. It states that each got "part and share of y^e moveables and stock as it fell by lott" and listed what each received. Among other things, for instance, Nicholas Cottrell got "the halfe of 3 Cattle at Little Compton"!

The paper is signed by Henry Tew and by John Ward, his Wmark. Thus it appears that Ann married Nicholas Cottrell and not Jabez Cottrell; Elizabeth married Joseph not Benjamin, son of William Davol; Hannah married John Reed; and Rebecca married Ebenezer Moon.

Albert Rathbone in *Colonel William Rice and Wealthy Cottrell, his wife*, 1938, p. 25, states that the name of the wife of Nicholas² Cottrell, son of Nicholas,¹ is unknown; whereas J. O. Austin, *op. cit.*, p. 57, says that Nicholas² "probably had an earlier wife than Dorothy" Pendleton. Mr. Rathbone indicates that Dorothy was the wife of Nicholas,³ son of Nicholas,² and survived both her husband and her father-in-law. Since Nicholas¹ Cottrell died about 1680-1, it was Nicholas² who received a share of the estate of John Peabody, as the husband of Ann Cottrell, so named in her father's will. She was undoubtedly the mother of the Nicholas³ Cottrell who married Dorothy Pendleton before 24 July 1709 (cf. Austin, *op. cit.*, and Everett Hall Pendleton, *Early New England Pendletons* [c1956], p. 17). Apparently Ann did not survive her husband, Nicholas² who died shortly before 11 Jan. 1711/12, when the inventory of his estate was taken and his son, Nicholas,³ was named administrator.

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Death								
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WELLER NOTES

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Reference is made to my article, "Weller Notes," in The American Genealogist, 26:248-256; 27:26-31, 192. In this article considerable information was presented on the Weller family of Cranbrook, co. Kent, England, and neighboring localities. I should now like to draw attention to another article on the Wellers of Cranbrook and their descendants, which has just come to my attention. It is entitled "Papers relating to proceedings in the County of Kent, 1642-46," in The Camden Miscellany, vol. 3 (Camden Society Publ., No. LXI, 1855), pp. i-vii, 1-68, of which pp. i-vii consists of an account of the family of Weller of Cranbrook and Tonbridge, co. Kent, descended from Alexander Weller of Cranbrook (who d. 26 June 1596) and his wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Jarvis Dence (for whom see The American Genealogist, 26:250-1; 27:28, 30). Thomas Weller of Tonbridge (1602-1670), grandson of Alexander Weller of Cranbrook, is the man whose papers covering the years 1642-46 are printed by the Camden Society in the volume cited above, pp. 1-68.

Re Thomas Wilson

✓ THOMAS BROWNELL OF PORTSMOUTH, R.I.

By Waldo Chamberlain Sprague, A.B., Wollaston, Mass.

In the New England Hist. and Gen. Register, 46:454-5 (published in 1892), an abstract was given of the will of Thomas Wilson the elder, "sometimes citizen and clothworker of London but now resident at Ryecroft in the parish at Rawmarsh and county of York," dated 25 Feb. 1657, proved 14 Feb. 1658 [1658/9]. In addition to providing for his immediate family, he gave legacies to numerous relatives, including £20 to "my cousin George Brownell of London," and £20 to "my cousin Thomas Brownell of Portsmouth, Rhode Island in New England and to his children." With this clue in print for so many years, it is surprising that no one seems to have followed it up until I did so last summer in England.

The Boyd Marriage Index at the Society of Genealogists in London states that Robert Brownell married ✓ Mary Wilson in 1605 at Sheffield, co. York. There is also in London a copy of the parish register of Rawmarsh, co. York, from which I made the following extracts. This register is peculiar in that like the one of Thornbury, co. Gloucester, where the American family of Thayer originated, the names of the parents are not

given, only the sponsors or godparents being named.

Baptisms from parish register of Rawmarsh, co. York:

- 23 March 1605 (1605/6?) George Brownell. Sponsors: George Wayne-wright, Thomas Waynewright, Johanna Western.
 5 June 1608 Thomas Brownell. Sponsors: Thomas Wright, Thomas Dyson, Johannes Waynewright.
 28 July 1611 Ann Brownell. Sponsors: Ant. Goodwyn, An Goodwyn, An Wright.

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The implication is that the George and Thomas Brownell baptized at Rawmarsh in 1605 and 1608 respectively are the "cousins" [i.e. nephews] named in the will of Thomas Wilson of Rawmarsh in 1657, and that they (and Ann) were presumably children of Robert Brownell and Mary Wilson. Children of Thomas Brownell of Portsmouth were named Mary, George, and Robert. He married Anne Bourne 20 March 1637 at St. Benet and St. Peters, Paul's Wharf, London; see published register and Boston Transcript of 16 March 1940.

Austin's Gen. Dict. of Rhode Island gives nothing on Thomas Brownell until he had been in Portsmouth for some time. He was in Braintree (Mt. Wollaston), Mass., by 1640. Thomas Brownell, planter, sold a house and land there to Deodatus Curtis [Lechford's Note Book]. He was in Portsmouth by 1644.

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THE MYTHICAL? SIMON MILLS OF WINDSOR

When, in "John Brown's Body" [supra, 35:19-28] we represented as earliest known ancestor of one of the two Mills lines that Simon Mills (no. 114) who married at Simsbury on 23 Feb. 1659/60 Mary Buell, we did so advisedly. We were well aware that others have claimed that this man was son of another of the same name, also present at Windsor in the early period.

Now we have been challenged by a correspondent, not to prove our own statements, but to disprove a quite different arrangement which we did not espouse. We are informed that the putative father came from Yorkshire and sojourned at Salem and Dorchester, Mass., before moving to Connecticut; that on 1 Oct. 1632 he married, where we are not told, a woman whose full name is given, and that she died, presumably at Windsor, 16 Sept. 1637; and that he died there in 1670. Furthermore, according to our correspondent, this "father" was the one who married at Windsor, 18 Oct. 1639, a woman recorded only as "Jone," whereas we had supposed that this was the first known marriage of the later husband of Mary Buell, whom we marked in the cited article as a second wife.

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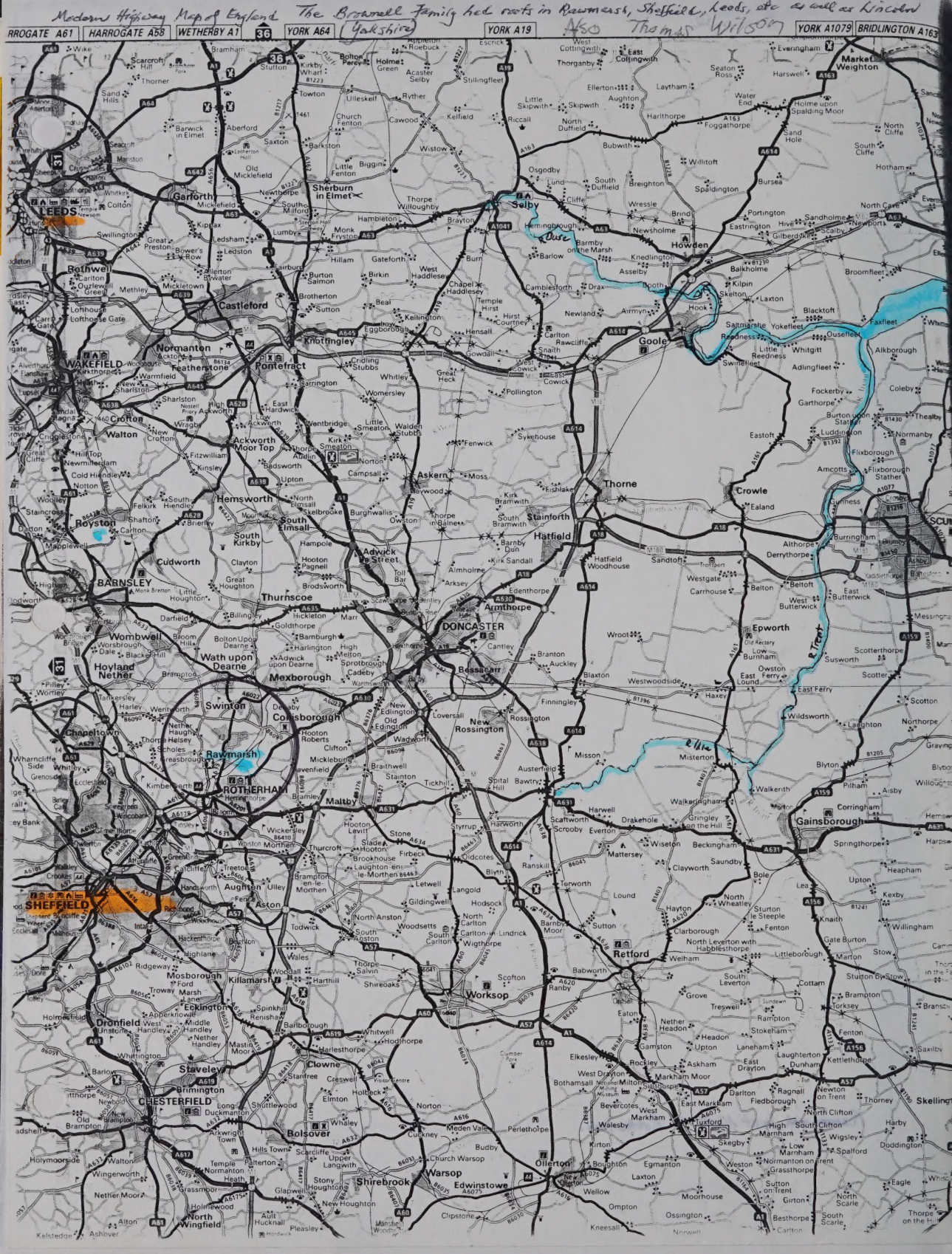
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Robert Brownell + Mary Wilson were wed 1605 in Sheffield
 South Riding Yorkshire (not Rotherham) about 10 mi NE. also
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Rawmarsh just North of Rotherham.







(Pearce Ancestors)

Family Record

Family No.

Bourne - Brownell
(English) Surname

Father - Richard BOURNE

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth	18	Jun	1564	St Michaels Cornhill,	London	England		
Death	11	Mar	1632					
Buried								
Married		ca	? 1599					
Occupation				Military		Church		
Places Lived								
Other Wives								
				His Father's Name		William Bourne		{ John bca 1514
				His Mother's Maiden Name		Margaret Ryse		{ Margaret

Mother - Judith COWPER

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth		ca	1568	St Michaels Cornhill,	London	England		
Death								
Buried								
Occupation				Military		Church		
Places Lived								
Other Husbands								
				Her Father's Name		John Cowper		{ William Cowper
				Her Mother's Maiden Name		Elizabeth Ironsides		{ Margaret Spencer

Children

Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
1.	Elizabeth Bourne	Birth	15	July	1600	St Michaels Cornhill,	London	England	
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
2.	William Bourne	Birth	12	July	1601	St M.			
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
3.	Richard Bourne	Birth	11	July	1602	St M			
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
4.	Judith Bourne	Birth	24	July	1603	of Bobbington, Essex,	England		
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
5.	Katherine Bourne	Birth	9	Sept	1604	St M			
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
6.	Susan Bourne	Birth	6	Oct	1605	St M			
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
7.	Robert Bourne	Birth	21	Apr	1613	St M			
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
8.	Margaret Bourne	Birth	7	June	1615	St M			
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
9.	Ann Bourne	Birth	15	Feb	1616	St Michaels Cornhill,	London	England	
	Spouse - Thomas Brownell	Death			1665	Portsmouth		Rhode Island	
		Married	20	Mar	1638	St Barth		London	England
10.		Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							

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Family Record

(Pearce: Brewster)

Family No.

Father -

Thomas BROWNELL

To Boston 1836 "Whole" Brownell
To Braintree 1649 "Mt Wollaston"
by 1640 - Seed house

Surname

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth	5	June	1608	Ratonsworth Bk	Yorkshire	England	Town of Ryecroft	
Death			1665+	Portsmouth		Rhode Island	(heavy - ran into tree on horse back)	
Married	20	Mar	1637	St Benet's Church, St Paul's Wharf	London	England	dropped in London	

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Occupation Member Court of Commissioners RI Military water battery 28 Aug 1667 Church
Places Lived France Portsmouth 1658 1655 + 1661-3 one of the 1st passengers of Connecticut 1636-2 from London
Other Wives

His Father's Name

Robert Brownell

His Mother's Maiden Name

Mary Wilson

(Her brother was Thomas Wilson, "citizen & clothmaker" of London who returned to Ryecroft - will proved 14 Feb 1659)

Mother -

Anne BOURNE

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth (chr)	15	Feb	1606	St Michael's Cornhill,	London	England		
Death			1665+	Portsmouth		Rhode Island		
Buried								

Occupation Military Church

Places Lived

Other Husbands

Her Father's Name

Richard Bourne

Her Mother's Maiden Name

Sadith Cooper

Children

Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
1.	Mary Brownell	Birth		Apr	1639	Mt Wollaston (Braintree)		Mass	
	Spouse - Robert Hazard (son of Thos & Martha)	Death	12	Jan	1739	Kingston RI			
	(1635 - 1700+)	Married	20	Jan	1658				
2.	Sarah Brownell	Birth			1641				
	Spouse - Gideon Freeborn (- 1720) Quaker his 1st son with Mary - born 1678 Mary born 1679	Death	6	Sep	1676	Portsmouth RI		bur Freeborn farm	
		Married	01	June	1638				
3.	Martha Brownell	Birth		01	May	1643	Portsmouth		
	Spouse - 1) Jeremiah Waite (1646 - 1677)	Death	15	Feb	1744				
	* 2) Charles Dyer (1650 - 1707)	Married	16	May	1655				
			2	Mar	1690				
4.	George Brownell	Birth		May	1646	Aquitash		Rhode Island	
	Spouse - Susanne Pearce (1652 - 1745) dau Richard & Susanne (Wright) Pearce	Death	20	Apr	1718	Tiverton			
		Married	4	Dec	1673	Portsmouth			
5.6	William Brownell	Birth			1648				
	Spouse - Sarah Smith (dau Wm & Sarah)	Death			1715	Little Compton?			
	(1654 - 1715)	Married			1673	Portsmouth or Portsmouth			
6.8	Thomas Brownell, Jr.	Birth			1650				
	Spouse - Mary Pearce (b May 1654 - 4 May 1736) dau Richard & Susanne	Death	18	May	1732	LC or Tiverton			
		Married			1678	Portsmouth?			
7.9	Robert Brownell	Birth			1652				
	Spouse - Mary (Ladd?) - 1728	Death	22	July	1728				
		Married			1676	Portsmouth			
8.7	Ann Brownell	Birth			1654				
	Spouse - Joseph Wilborn (1636 - 4 May 1729)	Death	2	Apr	1747	Little Compton			
		Married			1683				
9.	Susanne	Birth			1655				
	Spouse - Sarah Brownell dau baby	Death			1655				
					1736				

* Martha Brownell's second husband Charles Dyer, was son of Mary Dyer, the Quakeress who, upon returning to Boston after being expelled (for preaching there) was hanged on Boston Commons 1 June 1660, in the Quaker persecution. (Desc. of Thomas Brownell 1619-1910) p 11-12.

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1917	Jan 15	Received from John Doe		50.00	
1917	Feb 1	Received from Jane Smith		25.00	
1917	Mar 1	Received from Mr. Brown		75.00	
1917	Apr 1	Received from Mrs. Green		30.00	
1917	May 1	Received from Mr. White		40.00	
1917	Jun 1	Received from Mr. Black		60.00	
1917	Jul 1	Received from Mr. Grey		20.00	
1917	Aug 1	Received from Mr. Blue		15.00	
1917	Sep 1	Received from Mr. Yellow		10.00	
1917	Oct 1	Received from Mr. Purple		5.00	
1917	Nov 1	Received from Mr. Pink		3.00	
1917	Dec 1	Received from Mr. Brown		2.00	
1917	Dec 31	Balance		100.00	

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b. Date of Birth
p.b. Place of Birth
m. Date of Marriage
p.m. Place of Marriage
d. Date of Death
p.d. Place of Death

4 William Bourne
b. 1539 (Father of No. 2)
p.b.
m.
p.m.
d. 1591
p.d.

2 Richard Bourne
b. 18 June 1564 (Father of No. 1)
p.b. St Michael's Cornhill, London
m.
p.m. (a grocer)
d. 11 March 1632
p.d. London

5 Margaret Ryse
b. 18 June 1564 (Mother of No. 2)
p.b. St Michael's Cornhill
d.
p.d. 1

1 Anne Bourne
b. 1574 1606
p.b. St Michael's Cornhill,
m. London
p.m.
d.
p.d.

6 John Bourne Esq.
b. (Father of No. 3)
p.b. St Michael's Cornhill
m. (a grocer)
p.m.
d. 1609 London
p.d.

3 Judith Cooper
b. (Mother of No. 1)
p.b.
d.
p.d.

7 Elizabeth Ironsides
b. (Mother of No. 3)
p.b. Lincoln
d.
p.d.

Thomas Brimwell
b. (Spouse of No. 1)
p.b.
d.
p.d.

8 John Bourne
b. (Father of No. 4)
p.b. Visitation of Essex
m.
p.m.
d.
p.d.

9 Margaret
b. (Mother of No. 4)
p.b. Cont. on chart No. _____
d.
p.d.

10 Richard Ryse
b. (Father of No. 5)
p.b. St Peter, Bedfordshire
m.
p.m.
d.
p.d.

11
b. (Mother of No. 5)
p.b. Cont. on chart No. _____
d.
p.d.

12 William Garp
b. (Father of No. 6)
p.b. Cont. on chart No. _____
m.
p.m.
d.
p.d.

13 Margaret Spencer
b. (Mother of No. 6)
p.b. Cont. on chart No. _____
d.
p.d.

14 John Ironsides, Gent.
b. (Father of No. 7)
p.b. Lincolnshire
m.
p.m.
d.
p.d.

15
b. (Mother of No. 7)
p.b. Cont. on chart No. _____
d.
p.d.

Family Record

Family No.

Brownell (2)

Surname

Father -

Thomas BROWNELL, Jr

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth			1650	Portsmouth		Rhode Island		
Death	18	May	1732	Little Compton		"		
Buried								
Married		06	1678					
Occupation					Military	Church		
Places Lived								
Other Wives								
His Father's Name						Thomas Brownell		
His Mother's Maiden Name						Anne Bourne		

Mother -

Mary PEARCE

Event	Day	Month	Year		Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.	
Birth	6	May	1657	☐	Portsmouth		Rhode Island		☐	
Death	4	May	1736	☐	Little Compton		"		☐	
Buried				☐					☐	
Occupation					Military			Church	☐	
Places Lived										☐
Other Husbands										☐
						Her Father's Name		Richard Pearce	☐	
						Her Mother's Maiden Name		Susanne Wright	☐	

Children

Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
1. (Captain)	Thomas Brownell III 6 ch	Birth	16	Feb	1679				
	Spouse - Mary Crandall (17 May 1687 - 1 July 1752) dau Samuel & Sarah (Gully) Crandall (ne 446)	Death		Jan	1752	Little Compton			
		Married	15	Dec	1714	Westbury			
2.	John Brownell 4 ch	Birth	21	Feb	1682				
	Spouse - Mary Carr (12 July 1685 - 24 Nov 1726) dau Ezekiel & Susanna	Death		Mar	1759				
		Married	20	Dec	1715				
3. (Lt)	George Brownell	Birth	18	Jan	1685				
	Spouse - Mary Thurston	Death	22	Sep	1756	Westport Harbor		MA	
		Married	6	July	1706	Little Compton			
4.	Jeremiah Brownell 12 ch	Birth	10	Oct	1689	"	"		
	Spouse - Deborah Burgess (1694 July 1776) dau Thos & Esther (Richard) Burgess	Death		June	1756	"	"		
		Married	6	Nov	1712	"	"		
5.	Mary Brownell	Birth	22	Mar	1692	"	"		
	Spouse - ① Esch Carr (1683-1728) son of Esch, Sr & Susanna	Death	31	July	1717				
		Married	3	Apr	1717				
6.	Charles Brownell	Birth	23	Dec	1694				
	Spouse - ① Mary Wilson (29 Oct 1697-1742) dau Samuel & Mary (Parker)	Death		Feb	1774				
		Married	6	July	1717				
	② Mary Wood (- 1744)	16	19	Mar	1748	Dorchester			
8.		Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
9.		Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							
10.		Birth							
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							

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Family Record

(Pearce Ancestors)

Family No.

Brownell (3)

Surname

Father - (Lt) George BROWNELL

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth	19	Jan	1685	Little Compton				
Death	22	Sep	1756	Westport Harbor				
Buried	6	July	1706	Little Compton				
Married								

Occupation Military Church

Places Lived

Other Wives (2) Comfort Taylor (-1796) on 18 Apr 1745
(Had dau. Mary b. 3 Mar 1747 - no further record)

His Father's Name Thomas Brownell

His Mother's Maiden Name Mary Pearce

Mother - Mary THURSTON

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth	20	Mar	1685	Little Compton				
Death	23	Feb	1740	Westport Harbor				
Buried								

Occupation Military Church

Places Lived

Other Husbands

Her Father's Name Jonathan Thurston

Her Mother's Maiden Name Sarah Giles

Children

Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
1.	Giles Brownell	Birth	1	Mar	1707				
	Spouse - Elizabeth Shaw (1706 -)	Death			1778				
		Married	19	May	1726				
2.	Phoebe Brownell	Birth	19	June	1708				
	Spouse - Philip Tabor	Death			1756				
		Married	1	Oct	1728				
3.	Mary Brownell	Birth	9	Nov	1709				
	Spouse - Joseph Wood (23 Dec 1705 - 22 Jan 1767)	Death	6	Oct	1791	Little Compton			
		Married	31	Aug	1729				
4.	George Brownell	Birth	21	June	1711				
	Spouse - (1) Sarah Bailey	Death	30	Jan	1800				
	(2) Priscilla Avery (-1790) of Pomfret	Married	21	Oct	1731	L.C.			
			27	2	Apr	1787	Dartmouth		
5.	Thomas Brownell	Birth	1	Feb	1713				
	Spouse - Mary Blackman	Death			1757				
		Married			17				
6.	Elizabeth Brownell	Birth	15	Sep	1717				
	Spouse - Israel Stoddard	Death	18	Jul	1781				
		Married	3	Mar	1737				
7.	Jonathan Brownell	Birth	1	Mar	1719				
	Spouse - Elizabeth Richmond (sister of J. Wm.)	Death	11	June	1776	Westport MA (of Rev War inj army in Battle of Red Bank Hill)			
		Married	14	Jan	1742				
8.	Paul Brownell	Birth	12	June	1721				
	Spouse - Deborah Dennis (sister of John) born on 14 Feb 1773	Death	20	May	1677				
		Married	6	Jan	1746	Tiverton			
9.	Stephen Brownell	Birth	29	Nov	1726				
	Spouse - (1) Edith Wilcox	Death			1785				
	(2) Mary Eldridge	Married	5	Jan	1747				
10.		Birth	21	Feb	1771				
	Spouse -	Death							
		Married							

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BROWNELL

There has been much speculation concerning the ancestry of Thomas¹ Brownell of Rhode Island. The parish registers of Rotherham, Yorkshire, England, contain many Brownells [Boston Transcript, 14 Nov. 1911:1849]; a copy appears in *Slade-Babcock Genealogy*, page 162. Clerkinwell records show a Margery, wife of Thomas Brownell, died 14 Oct. 1585 or 1586 [Stratton's *Sherman and Allied Families*, 151].

If there are records of the lands of Thomas Wilson in Hunslett, Leeds, Yorkshire, extant, a study of them might provide further information on the ancestry of this line. Austin noted that Brownell descendants in America claimed to have plate with the coat of arms of the Derbyshire Brownells, but this grant was not made until 1682, so no descendants of the name Brownell can claim the right to that coat of arms unless they are specifically descended from the Derbyshire line branch which received the award.

It has been suggested in the April 1994 issue of *The Brownell Chronicle* [page 8] that Robert^A Brownell's parents were Thomas and Margaret (Gilbert-Hayse or Gilberthoysse) Brownell, born about 1535 and 1539 respectively, and married 20 Oct. 1560, but no place is mentioned. According to data from Richard A. Noyes of 68 Kings Drive, Florissant, Missouri 63034 (1995), Thomas and Margaret (Gilbert-Hayse) Brownell had sons William, born 1574, married Ann Brearely; Robert, born 1576, married Mary Wilson; and Rowland, born 1578, married 20 Feb. 1602 Dorothy Greene.

The references to *The Brownell Chronicle* refer to article's generally based on Elijah Ellsworth Brownell's manuscript genealogy, which does not contain citations. However, Bill Brownell of Lion Publications, 1320 Miller Drive, Suite 10, Los Angeles, CA 90069 (1995), editor of *The Brownell Chronicle*, has stated that he has found E.E. Brownell's work to be reliable. Bill Brownell proved particularly helpful by sending the compiler additional data just weeks before the Brownell section was indexed. The E.E. Brownell manuscript is available on films 0333571 and 0333572 at the Family History Library in Salt Lake City and the branch library on Santa Monica Boulevard in Los Angeles. E.E. Brownell suggested that the family lived in Sandal Magna Parish, Agbrigg Wapentake, in the West Riding of Yorkshire, for which register entries exist from 1598; copies are held by the Society of Genealogists, London, for the entries to 1832.

Ann Bourne, supposed wife of Thomas¹ Brownell, has been identified variously as the daughter of Thomas Bourne of Tenderdon, location in England not given, or of Thomas Bourne, born 1581, of Tenderton, Kent, or of Richard and Judith (Cowper) Bourne of London. There is a Tenderden parish in Kent, with original registers from 1544 deposited at the Kent County Archive Office, County Hall, Maidstone, Kent ME14 1XH (1983).

While the Tenderton Bournes are mentioned in *Snow-Estes Genealogy* [1:434], no conclusive evidence is given. Charles L. Greenwood contributed a note that Anne Bourne, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth, married 21 Jan. 1640 that Nehemiah Smith, but no further details were forthcoming.

On the assumption, which has never been proven, that Ann (Bourne) Brownell was a daughter of Richard and Judith (Cowper) Bourne, her highly tentative ancestry is given as follows: John^C Bourne, born about 1514, was mentioned in the 1612 *Visitation of Essex*, page 156, as the progenitor of this line. His wife was

named Margaret. Their child, given in the pedigree chart, was William^B Bourne, who was born in 1539 and died in 1589. He married Margaret Ryse, daughter of Richard Ryse of Potten, Bedfordshire. They had a child, given in the pedigree, Richard^A Bourne, baptized St. Michael's Cornhill, London, 18 June 1564, who was perhaps the Richard Bourne who died 11 March 1632, according to Mr. Greenwood; E.E. Brownell agreed that Richard died on 11 March 1632, and stated that he was a grocer. Richard married Judith Cowper [Howard ed. *Visit. London*, 197]. They had children, baptized in St. Michael's, Cornhill, London: Elizabeth, bapt. 15 June 1600 [Stratton's *Sherman*, 151]; William, bapt. 12 July 1601; Katherine, bapt. 9 Sept. 1604; Anne¹, bapt. 15 Feb. 1606; presumed to have married Thomas¹ Brownell, and Margaret, bapt. 1 July 1614.

William^C Cowper, who married Margaret Spencer, was given by T.E. Collins as the father of John^B Cowper, "of the Parish of St Michaels in Cornhill London Esq. died 1609." The pedigree chart [Howard] shows he married Elizabeth Ironside, daughter of John Ironside of Lincoln, gentleman. According to the *Visitation of Essex*, edition of 1612, Judith, below married John Capper of London, given as Cooper in the 1634 edition. Their children are here listed in the order given in the *Visitation of London* (1633-1635) [Howard ed.], which lists sons before daughters: 1) William^A, m. Martha Masters, dau. of John Masters of East Langton, Kent, William was Collector of the Impost of Strangers in the port of London in 1633; 2) John; 3) Edward; 4) Richard, no issue; 5) Nicholas, "2 sonne"; 6) Judith, m. Richard Bourne of London (above); 7) Katherine, m. John Tey of Essex, and 8) Elizabeth, m. John Jacques of London, and had son "Sir John Jacques Baronett."

1. ROBERT^A BROWNELL lived in Sheffield, in the West Riding of Yorkshire, England.

He married in Sheffield, in 1605, Mary Wilson [Boyd's Marriage Index in the Society of Genealogists, London, cited by Sprague]. Only the parish of St. Peter, Sheffield, is in Boyd's Marriage Index for the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries. The register copy for the period 1560-1828 at the Society of Genealogists, London, should be consulted.

George Brownell of London and Thomas¹ Brownell of Portsmouth were mentioned as cousins, probably meaning nephews, by Thomas Wilson of Ryecroft, Rawmarsh, Yorkshire, in his will dated 25 Feb. 1657, proved 14 Feb. 1658 [Waters]. Thomas Wilson was a sometime citizen and clothmaker of London and a probable brother of Mary (Wilson) Brownell.

Children, baptized in the parish of Rawmarsh, Yorkshire:

- i. George¹, bapt. 23 March 1605; lived in London, 1657, a draper.
- ii. Thomas, bapt. 5 June 1608; d. Rhode Island 24 Sept. 1665; m. perhaps London 20 March 1637/8 Ann Bourne.
- iii. Ann, bapt. 28 July 1611.

2. THOMAS¹ BROWNELL, baptized at St. Mary's Church in the parish of Rawmarsh, Yorkshire, England, 5 June 1608, died in Portsmouth, Rhode Island, 24 Sept. 1664 [will of Thomas Brownell in Portsmouth Town Records], the result of having hit his head against a tree while engaged in an impromptu horse race with Daniel² Lawton [West, *RIHSC*, 25:77] on the lands of William Wodell. According to E.E. Brownell's manuscript he was buried on the family farm in

Portsmouth.

He may have been identical with the Thomas Brownell who married in the parish of St. Benet, Paul's Wharf, London, 20 March 1637/8, Ann Bourne [Littledale]. Her ancestry is discussed at some length in the introduction to this section. Apparently they lived for a time in the parish of St. Mary Cole, London [Banks' *Topo. Dict.*, 109]. At the 24 Oct. 1666 session of the Court of Trials, meeting at Newport, "an indictment was presented by the General Solicitor against William Long and Anne Brownell 'for owning one another man and wife,' despite being prohibited from doing so by the magistrates" [*The Brownell Chronicle*, 1 (Oct. 1994), 1]. She was buried in the Brownell cemetery in Portsmouth [E.E. Brownell MS].

Bill Brownell's "The Brownells Arrive in America," *The Brownell Chronicle*, 1 (April 1994), 1, with one correction provided by Mr. Brownell subsequently, states that Thomas and Anne Brownell of London, aged 30 and 32 respectively, arrived in Boston in 1638 on the board the *Whale*, having lived in the parish of St. Mary Cole, London, the previous year. E.E. Brownell believed that Thomas and his elder brother George were both drapers, or dealers in cloth and dry goods, probable for their uncle, Thomas Wilson, who "was a prosperous cloth worker or fabric merchant in London who later retired to Ryecroft, in the Parish of Rawmarsh, County of York, where he died in 1657" [*The Brownell Chronicle*, 1 (April 1994), 1].

He was in Braintree, Massachusetts Bay, by June 1640, when as a planter he sold house and land there to Deodatus Curtis, according to Thomas Lechford's notebook, page 149. He was in Portsmouth, R.I., by 1644 [Sprague], if not as early as 1640 [*The Brownell Chronicle*, 1 (June 1994), 1], and witnessed the will of John Walker of Portsmouth on 10 March 1647/8 with his mark [C.G. Brownell]. He owned forty acres on Narragansett Bay on the west side of the northwest end of the island of Rhode Island next to the land of William¹ Freeborne (*q.v.*). On 10 July 1648 he was chosen "water baileffe," which gave him jurisdiction over fisheries and other maritime matters. He served Portsmouth as Commissioner in 1655 and 1661 to 1663, and as Deputy in 1664.

All three of his sons purchased land in Little Compton.

Children, order of birth carefully worked out by E.E. Brownell:

- i. Mary², b. (prob. Braintree, Mass. Bay) April 1639; d. South Kingstown, R.I., 12 Jan. 1739/40; m. 20 Jan. 1658/9 Robert² Hazard.
- * ii. Sarah, d. Portsmouth, R.I., 6 Sept. 1676, bur. Freeborn farm; m. Portsmouth 1 June 1658 [Quaker records] Gideon² Freeborne.
- iii. Martha, b. Portsmouth 1 May 1643; d. there 15 Feb. 1743/4; m. (1) after 16 Sept. 1665 [date of probate of father's will] Jeremiah² Wait, who d. 26 Dec. 1775, m. (2) 1690 or later Charles² Dyer.
- iv. George, b. Portsmouth c. 1646; d. there 20 April 1718; m. there by Joshua Coggeshall 4 Dec. 1673 to Susannah² Pearce, who d. Portsmouth 24 Feb. 1743 at the home of her son Joseph.
- v. Robert, d. Little Compton, Mass. (now in R.I.) 12 July 1728; m. c. 1675 Mary² Ladd.
3. vi. William, d. Dartmouth, Mass., 1715; m. 1672 Sarah² Smiton.

- vii. Anne, b. Portsmouth 1654; d. Little Compton (Tiverton in E.E. Brownell MS) 2 April 1747; m. Little Compton 4 May 1683 Joseph² Wilbore, who d. 4 May 1729.
- viii. Thomas, d. Little Compton 18 May 1732; m. 1678 Mary² Pearce.
- ix. Susanna, perhaps d. after Feb. 1734; unm.; the "sister" Susanna Brownell named in Mary² (Brownell) (Wait) Dyer's will may have been Susannah² (Pearce) Brownell [Bill Brownell, *Brownell Chronicle*, 1 (Dec. 1994), 1ff].

3. WILLIAM² BROWNELL, believed to have been born in Portsmouth, Rhode Island, in 1653, died in Dartmouth, Massachusetts, between 6 Nov. 1714, the date of his will, and 21 March 1715, when the inventory of his estate was submitted.

He married in Portsmouth in 1672 SARAH² SMITON*, who died in Dartmouth in 1716.

In 1674 he was the victim of malicious gossip by Mary Hoomeyhoo of Portsmouth, who, on being brought before the town court on 28 Dec. 1674, admitted she had made up her stories [see *Early Records of the Town of Portsmouth*].

A freeman in Portsmouth on 9 April 1675 [E.E. Brownell MS], he was next listed as a surveyor of highways in Little Compton, Mass. (later, from 1747, in R.I.), having been elected at the first meeting of the freemen of Little Compton on 9 June 1683. In 1684 he was Constable, according to E.E. Brownell, in Little Compton and Rehoboth. He gave a deposition on 11 March 1696/7 regarding the layout of Tiverton lands in the case *Gray et al. vs. Winslow*. Listed as a taxpayer in Portsmouth on 31 July 1704, he was in Dartmouth 4 Dec. 1706 as administrator of the estate of his son-in-law, Jonathan Tripp. On 4 Dec. 1706 he accepted the post of administrator of the estate of his son-in-law, Jonathan³ Tripp, for his widowed daughter Martha, and her second husband, Samuel Hart had refused it.

His will was proved 1 August 1715, with his widow Sarah as executrix. His friend Nathaniel Soule and his son Smiton were overseers. He left Sarah all the produce of the Little Compton land and all movables except for a feather bed which went to his daughter Alice. Smiton inherited all the horsekind and cattle left when his mother died, as well as half of all the household stuff and the Little Compton land. Sons Thomas, William, Benjamin and Robert were left 20/- equally, and daughters Martha, Ann and Mary received 15/- equally. The inventory totaled £68.5s, including ten acres of land valued at £7, a cow, five heifers, pair of steers, three yearlings, two horsekind, six swine, eight geese, four beds, a warming pan, a gun, a sword, a loom and a cheese press.

Children, all born in Little Compton, Mass. (later R.I.), according to E.E. Brownell:

- i. Thomas³, b. Little Compton 25 May 1674; d. Dartmouth after 1714; m. May 1698 Esther Tabor.
- ii. Sarah, b. 25 Nov. 1675; d. before 6 Nov. 1714.
- iii. Martha, b. 24 May 1678; d. Dartmouth 6 July 1736; m. (1) 22 August 1695 Jonathan³ Tripp [Bock, "Descendants of John¹ Tripp of Portsmouth, R.I.," *TG*, vol. 4, inventory of his estate was taken 4 Dec. 1706], m. (2) Little Compton 29 March 1705 Samuel Hart.

- iv. Ann, b. 4 June 1680; d. after 1735; m. Benjamin Davol.
- v. William, b. 11 Aug. 1682; d. Little Compton after 1719; m. Dartmouth 1704 Lydia¹ Soule.
- vi. Benjamin, b. 20/22 Oct. 1684; d. after 1714.
- vii. Robert, b. 11 April 1688; d. North Kingstown, R.I., after 1765; m. before 1717 Mary Eldred.
- viii. Mary, b. 13 Feb. 1691; d. 17 Nov. 1732; m. William Potter.
- 4. ix. Smiton, b. Little Compton 13 Feb. 1691; d. Tiverton, Mass. (now R.I.) before 12 Feb. 1738; m. c. 1715 Margaret¹ Manchester.
- x. George, b. 13 April 1693; d. Dartmouth between 27 Sept. and 19 Oct. 1742; m. Dartmouth 22 June 1716 Elizabeth Davol; Benjamin Franklin's first teacher, he had schools in Boston, Philadelphia and New York.
- xi. Alice, b. 3 Dec. 1695; d. after 1714.

4. SMITON³ BROWNELL, born in Little Compton, Massachusetts (which since 1747 has been in Bristol County, Rhode Island), 13 Feb. 1691, died in Tiverton, Mass. (now R.I.), before 12 Feb. 1738.

He married, before the estate of William² Brownell was accounted for in 1715, MARGARET¹ MANCHESTER*.

He lived in Dartmouth, Mass., 19 Dec. 1716 [Bristol Co. deeds at Taunton, 12:235], and bought land in Tiverton 26 Feb. 1719 [15:31, 219].

Children, most born in Tiverton, Mass. (later R.I.) [E.E. Brownell MS]:

- i. Tabitha⁴, m. Joseph Lake.
- ii. Smiton, b. 1719; d. 14 March 1807; m. Mary Ferris.
- iii. Abraham, m. Mary Hicks.
- iv. George, d. before 6 July 1767; m. Eunice Mosher.
- v. Benjamin, m. Eunice (Mosher) Brownell.
- * vi. Patience, m. Timothy⁴ Tripp.
- vii. William, m. Phyllis Pearce.

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BROWNELL

There has been much speculation concerning the ancestry of Thomas¹ Brownell of Rhode Island. The parish registers of Rotherham, Yorkshire, England, contain many Brownells [Boston Transcript, 14 Nov. 1911:1849]; a copy appears in *Slade-Babcock Genealogy*, page 162. Clerkinwell records show a Margery, wife of Thomas Brownell, died 14 Oct. 1585 or 1586 [Stratton's *Sherman and Allied Families*, 151].

If there are records of the lands of Thomas Wilson in Hunslett,

Leeds, Yorkshire, extant, a study of them might provide further information on the ancestry of this line. Austin notes that Brownell descendants in America claimed to have plate with the coat of arms of the Derbyshire Brownells, but this grant was not made until 1682, so no descendant of the line below can claim the right to that coat of arms unless also a descendant of the Derbyshire line.

1. ROBERT² BROWNELL lived in Sheffield, Yorkshire, England.

He married in Sheffield, in 1605, Mary Wilson [Boyd's Marriage Index in the Society of Genealogists, London, cited by Sprague].

George Brownell of London and Thomas¹ Brownell of Portsmouth were mentioned as cousins, probably meaning nephews, by Thomas Wilson of Ryecroft, Rawmarsh, Yorkshire, in his will dated 25 Feb. 1657, proved 14 Feb. 1658 [Waters]. Thomas Wilson was a sometime citizen and clothmaker of London and a probable brother of Mary (Wilson) Brownell.

Children, baptized in Sheffield:

- i. George, bapt. 23 March 1605; lived in London, 1657.
- 2. ii. Thomas¹, bapt. 5 June 1608; d. Rhode Island 24 Sept. 1665; m. London 20 March 1637/8 Ann Bourne.
- iii. Ann, bapt. 28 July 1611.

2. THOMAS¹ BROWNELL, baptized in Sheffield, Yorkshire, England, 5 June 1608, died in (Portsmouth?) Rhode Island, 24 Sept. 1665, the result of having hit his head against a tree while engaged in an impromptu horse race with Daniel² Lawton [West, *RIHSC*, 25:77].

He married in the parish of St. Benet, Paul's Wharf, London, 20 March 1637/8, Ann Bourne [Littledale]. Her ancestry is discussed at some length immediately below. Apparently they lived for a time in the parish of St. Mary Cole, London [Banks' *Topo. Dict.*, 109].

He was in Braintree, Massachusetts Bay, by 1640, when as a planter he sold house and land there to Deodatus Curtis. He was in Portsmouth, R. I., by 1644 [Sprague], and witnessed the will of John Walker of Portsmouth on 10 March 1647 with his mark [G. G. Brownell]. He owned land on the west side of the northwest end of the island of Rhode Island next to William¹ Freeborne (q.v.). He served Portsmouth as Commissioner in 1655 and 1661 to 1663, and as Deputy in 1664.

Children, order of birth uncertain:

- i. Mary², b. April 1639; m. Robert² Hazard.
- * ii. Sarah, b. ca. 1641; m. Gideon² Freeborne.
- iii. Martha, b. May 1643 (?1653); d. 15 Feb. 1743/4; m. (1) Jeremiah² Wait, m. (2) Charles² Dyer.
- iv. George, b. May 1646; d. 20 April 1718; m. Susannah² Pearce.
- v. William, b. ca. 1648; d. 1715; m. Sarah² Smiton.
- ✓ vi. Thomas, d. 18 May 1732; m. Mary² Pearce.
- vii. Robert, d. 12 July 1728; m. Mary Ladd.
- viii. Ann, b. ca. 1656; d. 2 April 1747; m. Joseph² Wilbore.
- ix. Susannah, m.

Ann Bourne, wife of Thomas¹ Brownell, has been identified vari-
ously as the daughter of Thomas Bourne of Tenderdon, location in
England unknown, or of Thomas Bourne, born 1581, of Tenderton, (cont'd)

Kent, or of Richard and Judith (Cowper) Bourne of London.

While the Tenderton Bournes are mentioned in *Snow-Estes Genealogy* [1:434], no conclusive evidence is given. Charles L. Greenwood has contributed a note that Anne Bourne, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth, married 21 Jan. 1640 one Nehemiah Smith, but no further details have been forthcoming.

On the assumption, which is not proven, that Ann (Bourne) Brownell was a daughter of Richard and Judith (Cowper) Bourne, her tentative ancestry is given as follows.

1. JOHN^Y BOURNE, born about 1514, married Margaret, and had, according to a chart originating with T. E. Collins, but not documented:
2. WILLIAM^B BOURNE, born in 1539, died in 1581, married Margaret Ryse, and had:
3. RICHARD^A BOURNE, baptized in the parish of St. Michael's, Cornhill, London, 18 June 1564, and was perhaps the Richard Bourne who died 11 March 1632, according to Mr. Greenwood.
He married Judith^A Cowper [Howard ed. *Visit. London*, 197].
Children, baptized in St. Michael's, Cornhill, London:
 - i. Elizabeth, bapt. 15 June 1600 [Stratton's *Sherman*, 151].
 - ii. William, bapt. 12 July 1601.
 - iii. Katherine, bapt. 9 Sept. 1604.
 - * iv. Anne, bapt. 15 Feb. 1606; presumed to have married Thomas¹ Brownell.
 - v. Margaret, bapt. 1 July 1614.

1. WILLIAM^Y COWPER, who married Margaret Spencer, is given by T. E. Collins as the father of:

2. JOHN^B COWPER, "of the Parish of St Michaels in Cornhill London Esq. died 1609."

The pedigree chart [Howard] shows he married Elizabeth Ironside, daughter of John Ironside of Lincoln, gentleman.

Children, in the order given in the *Visitation*, which lists sons before daughters:

- i. William, m. Martha Masters, daughter of John Masters of East Langdon, Kent; he was Collector of the Impost of Strangers in the port of London in 1633.
- ii. John.
- iii. Edward.
- iv. Richard, no issue.
- v. Nicholas, "2 sonne."
- * vi. Judeth, m. Richard Bourne of London.
- vii. Katherine, m. John Tey of Essex.
- viii. Elizabeth, m. John Jacques of London; had son "Sir John Jacques Baronett."

THE BROWNELL FAMILY

(For information on the English Brownells, see The American Genealogist, number 142, April 1960, page 126.)

(Information on the Bourne family is available in "The History and Antiquities of the County of Essex. . ." by Philip Morant, Chelmsford, 1816, Vol. 1, page 147, and in "Pedigrees of the Family of Bourne", second edition, edited by J. Harvey Bloom, page 5.)

1. THOMAS¹ BROWNELL, son of Robert and Mary Brownell of Parish of Rawmarsh, town of Ryecroft in West Riding of Yorkshire, died about 1665.

He married in London, England 20 March 1637 ANN BOURNE. She died after 1665. They were married at St. Paul's Wharf, in London. See London registers of St. Bennet and St. Peter, published in London 1910. *(he was a draper)*

He was killed by running into a tree while riding a horse in Portsmouth, Rhode Island, Residence: Portsmouth.

Children:

- i. Mary, b. 1639; d. 12 Jan. 1739; m. Robert Hazard, son of Thomas and Martha Hazard.
- ii. Sarah, d. 6 Sept. 1676; m. 1 June 1658 Gideon Freeborn, son of William and Mary Freeborn.
- iii. Martha, b. May 1643; d. 15 Feb. 1744; m. (1) 1658 Jeremiah Wait, m. (2) Charles Dyer.
- iv. George, b. 1646; d. 20 April 1718; m. 4 Dec. 1673 Susanna Pearce, daughter of Richard and Susanna (Wright) Pearce.
2. v. William.
3. vi. Thomas.
4. vii. Robert.
- viii. Ann, ^{b. 1654?} d. 2 April 1747; m. Joseph Wilbore, d. 4 May 1729.

2. WILLIAM² BROWNELL (Thomas¹), born 1648, died in LC 1715. He married SARAH SMITON, daughter of William and Sarah Smiton. Residence: Portsmouth, LC and Dartmouth.

His will, made 6 Nov. 1714 and proved 1 Aug. 1715: "To wife produce of all my land in LC and all movables for life except a featherbed to daughter Alice. To son Smiton Brownell all horsekind and cattle left at wife's decease and half of the household goods. To son George Brownell half household stuff. To son Smiton all land in LC at wife's decease. To four sons Thomas, William, Benjamin and Robert 20 shillings equally. To three daughters Martha, Anne and Mary 15 shillings equally. . ."

Children (first four born in Portsmouth and the rest in LC and recorded there):

5. i. Thomas, b. 25 May 1674.
- ii. Sarah, b. 25 Nov. 1675.
- iii. Martha, b. 24 May 1678; m. (1) Jonathan Tripp.

- iv. Anne, b. 4 June 1680; m. Benjamin Devol.
6. v. William, b. 11 Aug. 1682.
- vi. Benjamin, b. 20 Oct. 1684.
- vii. Robert, b. 11 April 1682.
- viii. Mary, b. 13 Feb. 1691.
- ix. Smiton, b. 13 Feb. 1691; m. Margaret (--).
- x. George, b. 18 April 1693; m. Elizabeth Devol.
- xi. Alice, b. 3 Dec. 1695.

(Records of above marriages taken from the Pierce papers in New Bedford).

✓ 3. THOMAS² BROWNELL (Thomas¹), died in LC 18 May 1732. He married MARY PEARCE, daughter of Richard and Susannah (Wright) Pearce, born in Portsmouth 6 May 1654, died in LC 4 May 1736. Residence: LC.

His will, made in 1730 and proved in LC 20 June 1732: ". . . To wife Mary Brownell one half of my dwelling house and one half my orchard to be for her use during her life, all bills and bonds and 50 pounds a year, and all my Negroes, she to be my executrix. To sons Thomas, John, George and Jeremiah 10 pounds each and I confirm a deed of land to each of them. To son Charles all farming tools and one half of my stock. I also confirm a deed of land to him. To granddaughter Mary Carr 10 pounds and two chests marked T.B. . ."

Inventory: wearing apparel and sword, etc., total 1783 pounds-7s-1p. In her will Mary Brownell left to her four sons "1 shilling each, to grandson Samuel Brownell 1 feather bed, bolster and coverlid. To brother George Pearce my mair and he to pay to my son John Brownell 8 pounds which 8 pounds I give to him. . . To granddaughter Mary Carr money bills and bonds of mine."

Children, all recorded in LC:

7. i. Thomas, b. 16 Feb. 1679.
8. ii. John, b. 21 Feb. 1682.
9. iii. George, b. 19 Jan. 1685.
10. iv. Jeremiah, b. 10 Oct. 1689.
- v. Mary, b. 22 March 1692; m. in LC 3 April 1717 Ezek Carr.
11. vi. Charles, b. 23 Dec. 1694.

4. ROBERT² BROWNELL (Thomas¹), born about 1652, died in LC 12 July 1728. He married MARY (LADD?).

Robert Brownell evidently lived on the west side of the Long Highway nearly opposite Quicksand Pond.

His will made 29 Jan. 1718 and proved 20 Aug. 1728, recorded in Taunton book 6, page 142: ". . . My house and all my land on the west side of the highway where I now live to son Thomas Brownell and land I bought of Thomas Brownell and Edward Gray 42 acres in all. To son Benjamin Brownell the house and land where he now lives from the above highway eastward to Quicksand Pond; room in my house and income of one half of land of son Benjamin. To wife Mary Brownell one half of stock and she to be executrix. To daughters Patience, Margaret and Ann, 10 pounds each. To daughter Mary's three children 5 pounds each. To grandson Wilbore 5 pounds. . ."

Children (Ann and Benjamin recorded in LC):

12. i. Thomas, b. 1687.
- ii. Ann, b. 27 Jan. 1690; m. 4 July 1720 William Joy.
13. iii. Benjamin, b. 11 April 1697.
- iv. Patience.
14. v. Margaret.
- vi. Mary.

5. THOMAS³ BROWNELL (William², Thomas¹), born in LC 25 May 1674, married there 15 Nov. 1698 ESTHER TABOR. Residence: LC. This family probably moved from town.

Children, recorded in LC:

- i. Joseph, b. 13 Feb. 1699.
- ii. Elizabeth, b. 13 May 1700.
- iii. Thomas, b. 15 Feb. 1702.
- iv. Sarah, b. 20 Feb. 1704.
- v. Esther, b. 10 Feb. 1706; m. in South Kingstown Feb. 1729 Joseph Teft, son of John and Joanna (Sprague) Teft.
- vi. Content, b. 11 Feb. 1708.
- vii. Rebecca, b. 28 Feb. 1710.

6. WILLIAM³ BROWNELL (William², Thomas¹), born in LC 11 Aug. 1682, married LYDIA SOULE, daughter of George² (George¹) and Deborah Soule. Residence: LC. He was a Mayflower descendant.

Children, all recorded in LC:

- i. Deborah, b. 30 Oct. 1705.
- ii. Rejoice, b. 29 July 1707.
- iii. Sarah, b. 26 June 1709; m. (?) in Dartmouth 17 Jan. 1732 Joseph Wing.
- iv. Mary, b. 18 June 1712; d. in Dartmouth 17 Nov. 1732.
- v. William, b. 2 Feb. 1715; m. (?) in Dartmouth 8 March 1742 Sarah Sherman.
- vi. Martha, b. 22 Feb. 1718; d. in Dartmouth 6 July 1736.
- vii. Benjamin, b. 24 June 1720.

7. CAPT. THOMAS³ BROWNELL (Thomas², Thomas¹), born in LC 16 Feb. 1679, died there in Jan. 1752.

He married in LC 15 Dec. 1714 MARY CRANDALL, daughter of Samuel and Sarah (Gelley) Crandall, born in LC 17 May 1689, died there 11 July 1732 ae 44. She is buried in the Old Commons cemetery.

Children, all recorded in LC:

15. i. Richard, b. 10 Dec. 1715.
- ii. Mary, b. 15 July 1717; m. 19 Dec. 1739 in LC Peleg Simmons.
- iii. Thomas, b. 5 Feb. 1720/1; d. 2 Nov. 1808; m. (intention 18 Sept. 1742) in LC Eunice Taylor, b. 14 March 1728, d. 8 Nov. 1800. They had no children. Thomas was a Capt. in the Revolutionary War.
- iv. Sarah, b. 30 July 1722.
- v. Gideon, b. 5 Oct. 1724; d. 25 Oct. 1741.
- vi. Phebe, b. 16 Feb. 1726.

8. JOHN³ BROWNELL (Thomas², Thomas¹), born in LC 21 Feb. 1682, died there in March 1759.

He was married in LC 20 Dec. 1715 by Richard Billings, justice, to MARY CARR, daughter of Ezek and Susanna Carr of LC, born in LC 14 July 1685, died there 24 March 1729.

He was probably the John Brownell who owned the Harry S. Brownell place. His will in book 1, page 243, made 3 Feb. 1759: "To daughter Susannah Shaw one third of my homestead farm, her part to be the west middle third. To daughter Mary Willbour one third of household goods. To daughter Martha Ormsby one third homestead farm. To grandsons John Ormsby and Thomas Ormsby one third of homestead farm. To grandson John Willbor one third homestead farm his part to be the southerly part and my woodland bounded east on the highway that leadeth by the Indian meeting house, north and west by William Pearce and south by the land of Elizabeth Davenport with all the buildings, etc. To grandson John Shaw 100 pounds. To granddaughter Mary Shaw one feather bed. To granddaughter Mary Wilbour one feather bed. To granddaughter Olive Ormsby my looking glass and gold necklace. To my daughter Martha Ormsby my riding beast and one third household goods. To grandson John Wilbur my Negro man named Saul and my Negro woman named Genney. . ."

Children, all recorded in LC:

- i. Susanna, b. 15 Dec. 1716; m. in LC 22 Dec. 1743 William Shaw.
- ii. Mary, b. 11 Sept. 1719; m. in LC 10 March 1736 Isaac Wilbour.
- iii. Martha, b. 17 Feb. 1723; m. 19 Sept. 1751 in LC Daniel Ormsby of Dartmouth.
- iv. John, b. 4 Aug. 1725; d. 21 May 1729.

✓ 9. LIEUTENANT GEORGE³ BROWNELL (Thomas², Thomas¹), born in LC 19 Jan. 1685, died in Westport Harbour, Mass., 22 Sept. 1756 ae 72.

He married first in LC 6 July 1706 MARY THURSTON, daughter of Jonathan and Sarah (--) Thurston, born in LC 20 March 1685, died in Westport Harbour 23 Feb. 1740 ae 54. He married second COMFORT TAYLOR. They lived on what was later the Barker Peckham place at the four corners near Westport Harbour landing.

His will made 10 Sept. 1756 and proved 5 Oct. 1756: "To son Giles 21 pounds and 12 shillings lawful money, also my silver sword. To son George the sum of 9 pounds and 3 shillings. To son Thomas the sum of 8 pounds in lawful money. To son Paul certain real estate also nine pounds. To son Stephen the sum of thirty pounds lawful money. To daughter Phebe Tabor the sum of 30 pounds. To daughter Mary Wood the sum of nineteen pounds and twelve shillings. To daughter Mary Brownell which I had by my second wife the sum of 200 Spanish dollars. To wife Comfort Brownell my Rome mare, bridle and saddle, my red chest, the improvement of my great room and great chamber and bedroom below, etc. To five sons all my wearing apparel. To son Jonathan the rest and residue of my estate both real and personal. I also give him my clock. . ."

Children by first wife, recorded in LC:

16. i. Giles, b. 1 March 1707.
- ii. Phebe, b. 19 June 1708; m. 1 Oct. 1724 Philip Tabor.
- ✓ iii. Mary, b. 9 Nov. 1709; m. in LC 1729 Joseph Wood.
17. iv. George, b. 21 June 1711.
- v. Thomas, b. 1 Feb. 1713.
- vi. Elizabeth, b. 15 Sept. 1717; m. in LC 3 March 1737 Israel Stoddard.
18. vii. Jonathan, b. 19 March 1719.
19. viii. Paul, b. 12 June 1721.
20. ix. Stephen, b. 29 Nov. 1726.

Children by second wife:

- x. Mary 2d, b. 3 March 1747.

10. JEREMIAH³ BROWNELL (Thomas², Thomas¹), born in LC 10 Oct. 1689, died there in June 1756.

He married in LC 6 Nov. 1712 DEBORAH BURGESS, daughter of Thomas and Esther (Richmond) Burgess, born in 1694, died in LC in July 1779. Residence: LC. They probably lived on the Long Highway.

His will book 1, page 191 made 21 Oct. 1754 and proved 29 June 1756: "To wife Deborah bed, bedstead, puter platter and a cow. To son Jeremiah 5 shillings as he has already had his share and he to be executor. To son Pearce land I bought of William Head, son of Henry, with housing. To son Edward Brownell 5 shillings. To son Thomas Brownell all upland, salt meadow and housing in Dartmouth I bought of Joseph Devil, son of David Devil. To son David land I bought of Thomas Cornall of Dartmouth in Dartmouth where he now lives. To son Joshua all land at the east of Quicksand Pond excepting 5 acres bounded west by Quicksand Pond, north by Ichabod Richmond, east land I sold my son Aaron Brownell. To son John all my homestead farm I now live on with housing also case of bottles, meat tub marked J.B., my saddle and bridle and a riding beast. To daughters Mary and Hester 100 pounds old tenor. To three grandsons Edward, Jeremiah and Ichabod Brownell, 200 pounds old tenor at the age of 21. To grandson Jeremiah Brownell 2 silver spoons. To granddaughters Deborah Brownell and Deborah Howland 1 silver spoon each. To wife the use of the great room in my now dwelling house, cheese room and one fourth of the cellar during her widowhood. To sons Joshua and John Brownell the remainder of live stock. To son John Brownell all my moneys. . ."

Deborah Brownell's estate was administered by her son John 3 Aug. 1779. Inventory taken by Aaron Wilbor and Zebedee Stoddard, amount 77 pounds-8-0.

Children, all recorded in LC:

- i. Jeremiah Jr., b. 12 Dec. 1713; m. in LC 17 Dec. 1738 Ruth Irish.
21. ii. Pearce, b. 30 March 1715.
- iii. Edward, b. 8 Aug. 1716.
- iv. Mary, b. 8 Jan. 1718, unmarried.
- v. George, b. 2 Aug. 1719.
- vi. Deborah, b. 8 April 1721, unmarried.
22. vii. Aaron, b. 11 Aug. 1722.

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BROWNELL

LITTLE COMPTON FAMILIES

the Adeliza Wood place, marked Charles Wood on the map of 1850.

Children:

- i. Alexander, b. 1807.
- ii. William, b. 1808.

53. EDMUND⁶ BROWNELL (Pardon⁵, Jonathan⁴, George³, Thomas², Thomas¹), born in LC 7 Nov. 1775, died there 1 Feb. 1840.

He married first in LC 9 Feb. 1800 POLLY BAILEY, daughter of Ephraim and Mary (Briggs) Bailey, born 6 Aug. 1780, died in LC 3 July 1800. He married second in LC 1 Oct. 1801 PRISCILLA BRIGGS, daughter of Job and Sarah (Church) Briggs, born in LC 10 Jan. 1785, died there 1 Dec. 1869.

They lived at one time on Shaw Road at the east end on the corner of the Thomas Wilbor place. All are buried in the Old Commons cemetery. In his will recorded in LC, made 11 Jan. 1840 and proved 2 March 1840, he left 10 each to his daughter Mary and son Gilbert; 300 dollars each to his wife Priscilla and his three daughters, Harriet, Almy Ann and Sophia Augusta; 700 dollars each to his daughters Deborah, Eliza Louisa and Cornelia Prudence, and to his son Richard Briggs Brownell; he left his "best gun" to his son Pardon; and his wife and three youngest daughters were to divide the household goods.

In the will of Priscilla B. Brownell, widow, made 9 Dec. 1861 and proved 10 Jan. 1870, various small sums of money were left to her children with 1,000 dollars going to Eliza Louisa.

Children by first wife, recorded in LC:

- i. Polly, b. 10 May 1800; m. John Sisson, son of Lemuel and Susannah (Lake) Sisson, b. 23 Jan. 1796, d. 20 Nov. 1879.

Children by second wife (the first child only is recorded in LC):

- ii. Gilbert, b. 14 March 1803.
- iii. Harriet Byron, b. 14 March 1803; d. 17 March 1747; m. 13 Dec. 1824 James D. Peckham, son of Isaac and Phebe (Wilbor) Peckham.
- iv. Pardon, b. about 1808; m. 26 Oct. 1830 Abigail White.
- v. Almy Ann, b. 13 Jan. 1807; d. 25 July 1807 ae 6 Month.
- vi. Almy Ann 2d, m. in LC 19 Jan. 1830 William R. Atwood, son of Sylvester Atwood of Dighton, Mass.
- vii. Richard Briggs, b. in 1813; d. 30 Oct. 1824 ae 11.
- viii. Sophia Augusta, m. (--) White.
- ix. Deborah.
- x. Richard Briggs 2d, b. 19 April 1826; d. 24 Aug. 1895 ae 67 in New Bedford.
- xi. Eliza Louisa, b. 9 April 1829; d. in New Bedford 4 Nov. 1910.
- xii. Cornelia Prudence, m. 3 May 1855 Gustavus Felix Mathes, son of Gotlieb Frederick Mathes of Germany.

54. COL. JONATHAN⁶ BROWNELL (Sylvester⁵, Jonathan⁴, George³, Thomas², Thomas¹), born in Westport 31 March 1792, died in LC 27 Aug. 1877 at ae 85.

He was married first in LC by the Rev. Mase Shepard 2 Nov.

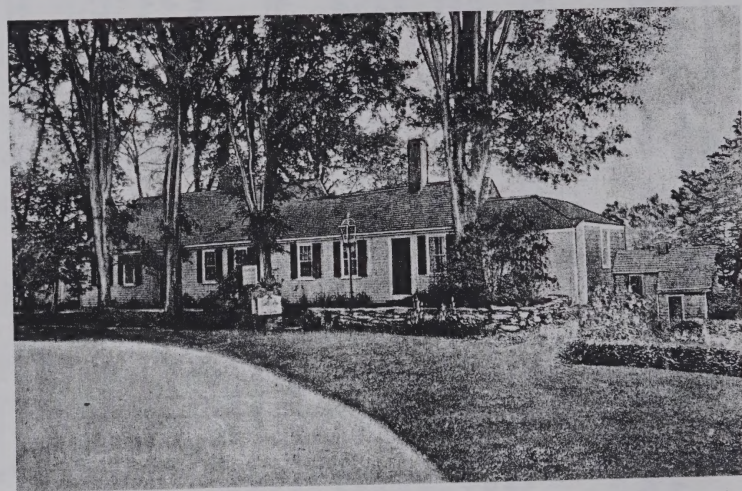
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BROWNELL

1816 to ELIZA HALL SIMMONS, daughter of Davis and Elizabeth Simmons, born in Newport 21 Sept. 1796, died in LC 4 May 1862 ae 65. He married second 22 Oct. 1863 SYBEL VALENTINE SIMMONS, daughter of Harvey and Lucy P. Simmons, born 29 Dec. 1802, died 7 June 1864. All are buried in the New Commons cemetery. He lived on the west road at the top of Meeting House Lane at a place that at one time belonged to Perez Richmond.

Children by first wife, recorded in LC:

- i. Maria Louisa, b. 1 Jan. 1817; d. 8 Feb. 1888 ae 71.
- ii. Walter Simmons, b. 30 Sept. 1820; d. in 1904.
- iii. Mary Elizabeth, b. 16 Jan. 1823; d. in Lexington, Ky., 4 Aug. 1857.
- iv. Sylvester, b. 28 June 1825; d. in Lexington, Ky., 24 April 1884.
- v. Charlotte Dickinson, b. 11 July 1830; m. in LC 28 Sept. 1858 Aaron S. Talbot, son of William and Miriam Talbot.
- vi. James F. Simmons, b. 13 Oct. 1833; d. 25 July 1873.
78. vii. Frederick Richmond, b. 27 Nov. 1837.



BROWNELL HOUSE

presented to the Little Compton Village Improvement Society
by Edmund Brownell Weston in September, 1915

in memory of

his aunt, Eliza Louisa Brownell, and his mother, Deborah Brownell Weston
Formerly the property of his aunt, Eliza Louisa Brownell



Brownell Clippings

Note: Some of the entries on this page were written in the 19th century, when it was supposed that Brownell was Ann came from Derbyshire. He was really of Yorkshire, she of London, though perhaps the two groups of Brownells were related.

Abridged Compendium of Amer Gen.
Virkas Vol 1 p 970

BROWNELL, Thomas (1619-65), from Eng. to Little Compton, R.I. ca. 1650; commr., 1655, 61, 63; dep., 1664; m Anna -

Directory of Ancestral Heads 1620-1700
by Frank R Holmes

BROWNELL
THOMAS, b. Eng., 1619, came from Derbyshire, Eng., 1636 to Portsmouth, R. I.

Pioneers of Massachusetts

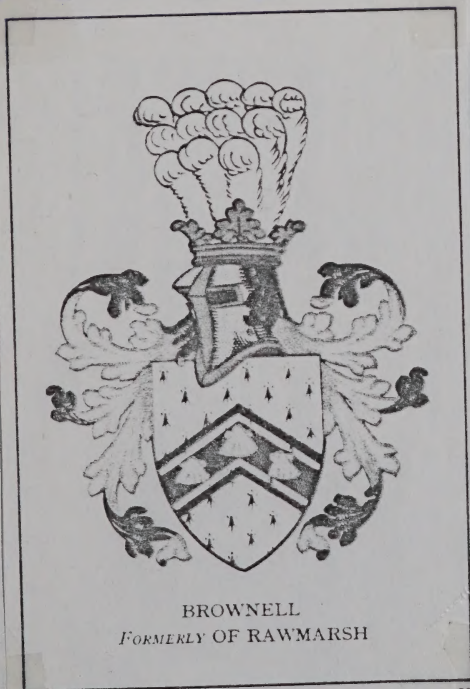
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BROWNELL,
Thomas, planter, Braintree, sold land in 1640. [L.] Had accts. with Robert Keaine 22 (12) 1646. [A.]

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BROWNELL, GEORGE, Portsmouth, R. I. s. of Thomas of the same, m. 4 Dec. 1673, Susanna, d. of Richard Pierce, had Susanna, b. 25 Jan. 1676; Sarah, 14 June 1681; Mary, 8 Dec. 1683; Martha, 18 Feb. 1686; Thomas, 1 June 1688; Joseph, 5 Dec. 1690; Wait, 3 Oct. 1693; and Stephen, 3 Dec. 1695. † **THOMAS**, Portsmouth, R. I. a freem. 1655.

From: Barke's Landed Gentry - American Families
plate LV - one descendant in Chicago (copy not saved) was featured on page 25 & 6



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BROWNELL, FREDERICK RICH-
MOND of Little Compton, R. I., in Johnston, R. I., Nov. 28, 1837. Admitted to the R. I. bar 1864, member of R. I. Legislature, judge of justice court, town and probate clerk, selectman (m. Feb. 1, 1866, Annie Dykes, dau. of Samuel W. Coggeshall, D. D., a desc. of John Coggeshall, first pres. of Rhode Island Colony, and of Sir William Coggeshall of Eng., and had four children: Francis H., b. Apr. 21, 1867, grad. Brown Univ. 1888, lawyer, Louise, b. Nov. 30, 1868 [m. Charles H. Berryman], Frederick R., b. Mar. 15, 1872, and Charlotte, b. Apr. 5, 1876; son of Jonathan of Little Compton, R. I., b. in Westport, Mass., Mar. 31, 1792, d. in Little Compton Aug. 29, 1877, educated at Union College, N. Y., soldier in the War of 1812, brig.-gen. of R. I. militia (m. Nov. 2, 1815, Elizabeth, dau. of Davis Simmons, and gr.-dau. of Capt. George Simmons of the Revolutionary army), and brother, Thomas Church Brownell, bishop of Connecticut and founder and president of Trinity Coll.; sons of Sylvester of Westport, Mass., b. there Nov. 20, 1757, d. in Little Compton Mar. 21, 1840, sergeant in the Revolutionary army, fought at Bunker Hill under Col. Prescott, at Long Island and Rhode Island, major in Mass. militia, commission signed by Gov. John Hancock, deacon of Congl. ch., member of Mass. State 12 yrs. (m. July 11, 1778, Mercy, dau. of Col. Thomas Church, son of Thomas, son of Col. Benjamin Church of King Philip's war, gr.-son of Richard Warren of the "Mayflower"); son of Jonathan of Westport, Mass., b. there Mar. 19, 1719, d. there June 11, 1776, served in the battle of Bunker Hill, where he received injuries, from which he d. (m. Mar. 31, 1737, Elizabeth, sister of Col. Wm. Richmond of the Revolutionary war, and dau. of William Richmond, gr.-dau. of Sylvester

John Alden, gt.-gt.-gr.-dau. of John Richmond of Ashton Keyes, Eng.); son of George of Westport, Mass., b. in R. I. Jan. 19, 1685, d. in Westport Sep. 22, 1756, served as captain in the expedition to Canada (m. July 6, 1706, Mary, dau. of Jonathan Thurston); son of Thomas of Portsmouth, R. I., b. there 1650, d. there May 18, 1732 (m. 1678, Mary Pearse); son of Thomas, b. 1619, d. 1665, came from Derbyshire, Eng. (m. 1638, Ann).

(Above is ancestry of a prominent RI descendant of our May Brownell's brother Jonathan (George Thomas) Brownell also died of injuries suffered in the Rev. War Battle of Bunker Hill.)

*by Clarence Almon
Terry*

BROWN, William (?1653-1705) & Margaret STONE (1653-1718), m/2 Joseph FOSTER 1714; 11 Jan 1675, 1675/6?; Sudbury

BROWN, William (-1724, ae 78) & 2/wf Mary LATHROP (?1660-1713); 21 May 1679; Charlestown

BROWN, William & Catherine ?; ca 1683; Southold, LI

BROWN, William & Secunda ?; b 1684; Boston

BROWN, William & Mary ? (-1741+); b 1688, b 1686; Boston

BROWN, William (-1716) & Rebecca (FRIEND) BAILEY, w Thomas; 26 Apr 1694; Salem/Boston/Water-town

BROWN, William & 2/wf Mary JACKLIN; 29 Oct 1694; Boston

BROWN, William & Hannah JOY; 6 Sep 1695, 23 Sep 1695; Salem/Marblehead

BROWN, William & Mary ?; bef, b 1695/6, b 1696; Hadley

BROWN, William & Mary BAKER; at Lynn, 4 Nov 1696; Salem

BROWN, William & Ann FROST; m int 14 Dec 1696; Boston

BROWN, William & Sarah ?; b 1697; Bristol, RI/Swansea

BROWN, William & Rebecca ?; b 1697; Sherborn

BROWN, William & Joanna TAYNOUR; 11 Nov 1697; Marblehead

BROWN, William & Susannah [HARDING], w John; 27 Oct 1699; Eastham

BROWN, (?John) & Martha (MATTHEWS) [SNELL], wid; b 1678; Dover, NH

BROWN, ? & Elizabeth NICHOLSON (1616-), w Edward/Edmund

BROWNELL, George (1646-1718) & Susanna PEARCE (1652-1743); 4 Dec 1673; Portsmouth, RI/Tiverton, RI

BROWNELL, Robert (1652-1728) & Mary ? (-1728+); b 1687, b 1677; Portsmouth, RI

BROWNELL, Thomas¹ (-1665±) & Ann [BOURNE?]; (-1665+); 20 May 1637, ca 1638/44; Portsmouth, RI/Little Compton, RI

BROWNELL, Thomas (1650-1732) & Mary [PEARCE] (1654-1736); 1678?; Portsmouth, RI/Tiverton, RI/Little Compton, RI

BROWNELL, Thomas³ & Esther TABER; May 1698, 15 Nov 1698; Tiverton, RI/Little Compton, RI

BROWNELL, William² (ca 1648-1715+) & Sarah [SMITON] (1654-1715+); b 1674, 1672?; Portsmouth, RI/Little Compton, RI

BROWNING, Henry & Mary ?; b 1640; New Haven

BROWNING/BRUNNING, Joseph (-1691) & Sarah/Mary COBIAM (-1739?); m/2 John ROGERS 1693?; b 1690; Boston

BROWNING, Malachi (-1653) & Mary [COLLIER] (-1672); b 1636; Boston

BROWNING, Nathaniel & Sarah [FREEBORN] (1632-1670); b 1650; Portsmouth, RI

BROWNING, Thomas (-1671, ae 83) & Mary ? (-1682?); b 1637(8?), b 1628?; Salem/Topsfield

BROWNING, William (-1730) & 1/wf Rebecca [WILBUR]; ca 1687; Portsmouth, RI/South Kingston, RI

BROUCE, David (-1708), Marlboro & Mary BIGELOW/BEGELOW (1677-1708), m/2 Thomas READ, Jr. 1701; 26 Jan 1699, 1699/1702; Watertown

BRUCE, George (-1692) & Elizabeth CLARK (1642-1710); 20 Dec 1659, 28 Dec; Woburn

BRUCE, John & [Elizabeth] ?; b 1671, b 1672; Marlboro

BRUCE, John (1670-) & 1/wf Rose WATTLE; 31 Jan 1693, 1692/3, 1693/4; Woburn

BRUCE, John & Elizabeth ? (1674-1739); b 1695; Framingham

BRUCE, Roger (-1733) & Elizabeth (?ANGIN); b 1691(2?), b 1691; Marlboro/Framingham

BRUCE, Thomas & Magdalen ?; b 1665; Marlboro

BRUCE/BRUSH?, William (1667-) & Elizabeth GOULD, ?w John; 15 Mar 1693, 1692/3; Woburn/Charlestown

BRUCKEN, John & Elizabeth [HOLLARD]; b 1671; Boston

BRUEN, Obadiah (1606-1681±) & Sarah ?; ca 1633/36; Gloucester/New London, CT/Newark, NJ

BRUEN, John (1645) & 1/wf Hannah LAWRENCE

BRUEN, John (1645) & 2/wf Esther SMITH

BRUGGE, Samuel & ?; b 1672; Boston

BRUMIDGE, Edward (-1699) & Hannah (FARNUM) TYLER?/WHITE?, w Abraham TYLER; aft 1673; Haverhill

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THOMAS BROWNELL OF PORTSMOUTH, R.I.

By Waldo Chamberlain Sprague, A.B., Wollaston, Mass.

In the New England Hist. and Gen. Register, 46:454-5 (published in 1892), an abstract was given of the will of Thomas Wilson the elder, "sometimes citizen and clothworker of London but now resident at Ryecroft in the parish at Rawmarsh and county of York," dated 25 Feb. 1657, proved 14 Feb. 1658 [1658/9]. In addition to providing for his immediate family, he gave legacies to numerous relatives, including £20 to "my cousin George Brownell of London," and £20 to "my cousin Thomas Brownell of Portsmouth, Rhode Island in New England and to his children." With this clue in print for so many years, it is surprising that no one seems to have followed it up until I did so last summer in England.

The Boyd Marriage Index at the Society of Genealogists in London states that Robert Brownell married Mary Wilson in 1605 at Sheffield, co. York. There is also in London a copy of the parish register of Rawmarsh, co. York, from which I made the following extracts. This register is peculiar in that like the one of Thornbury, co. Gloucester, where the American family of Thayer originated, the names of the parents are not given, only the sponsors or godparents being named.

Baptisms from parish register of Rawmarsh, co. York:

23 March 1605 (1605/6?) George Brownell. Sponsors: George Waynewright, Thomas Waynewright, Johanna Western.

5 June 1608 Thomas Brownell. Sponsors: Thomas Wright, Thomas Dyson, Johannes Waynewright.

28 July 1611 Ann Brownell. Sponsors: Ant. Goodwyn, An Goodwyn, An Wright.

The implication is that the George and Thomas Brownell baptized at Rawmarsh in 1605 and 1608 respectively are the "cousins" [i.e. nephews] named in the will of Thomas Wilson of Rawmarsh in 1657, and that they (and Ann) were presumably children of Robert Brownell and Mary Wilson. Children of Thomas Brownell of Portsmouth were named Mary, George, and Robert. He married Anne Bourne 20 March 1637 at St. Benet and St. Peters, Paul's Wharf, London; see published register and Boston Transcript of 16 March 1940.

Austin's Gen. Dict. of Rhode Island gives nothing on Thomas Brownell until he had been in Portsmouth for some time. He was in Braintree (Mt. Wollaston), Mass., by 1640. Thomas Brownell, planter, sold a house and land there to Deodatus Curtis [Lechford's Note Book]. He was in Portsmouth by 1644.

Brownell Genealogy

from
Thomas of Rawmarsh, England

compiled by
J. Archer Brownell

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Preface

Compiling this genealogy of the Maritime branch of the Brownell family in North America has been a labor of love. During the past decade my wife, Mildred and I have tramped through many an ancient graveyard to decipher moss-covered inscriptions. We have spent countless hours in musty archives reading the quaintly written records of bygone years. We have communicated with hundreds of Brownell kinfolk and have visited many families in their homes through the length and breadth of the continent.

This work contains the current comprehensive record of all known descendents of Jeremiah Brownell (5) (1749-1835) and Anna (Copp) Brownell (1751-1829) the progenitors of the Maritime branch of the Brownell family. Our efforts to preserve the past have enabled us to cherish the present by sharing a rich family legacy with many kinfolk we might not otherwise have known.

Archer Brownell

History of Brownells

Our branch of the Brownell family has been traced through nearly five hundred years of history. It begins in the north of England during the late medieval period, courses through the Elizabethan era, and settles in seventeenth century London for a time. It crosses the Atlantic to Puritan New England and remains in Colonial Rhode Island for more than a century before moving to the Acadian lands of Nova Scotia. It lingers in the pioneer settlement of Chignecto and then vanishes the Northumberland Straight wilderness before spreading through North America in the current era.

Richard L. Brownell

The Coat of Arms

The use of personal symbols to identify individuals and their possessions was necessary in ages when few could read and write. In western civilization this practice became common in the twelfth century because armor grew so elaborate it was impossible to tell who was inside. Personal symbols were thus displayed in shields, banners, horsecloth, and tunics worn over armor. The term coat-of-arms relates to this garment.

Coat-of-arms were portrayed in paintings and carvings that depicted a warrior's shield, surmounted by his helmet, and draped with his mantle. This cloak, or mantle, was invariably rent and torn during battle. The elaborately fluted mantling of a coat-of-arms is a stylized representation of these heroic tatters.

Eldest sons inherited coats-of-arms along with other possessions. Younger sons modified parental arms slightly by adding personal identification to the basic coat.

English heraldry designates the rank of the person to whom a coat-of-arms is granted by specifying the metal and position of the helmet. We know that our sixteenth century ancestors were landed gentry because the coat-of-arms depicts a helmet of steel, shown in profile with visor closed.

Although we can identify on a coat-of-arms we cannot determine their exact meaning since they relate to a period before written records were maintained.

The basic shield of the Brownell Arms is a field of black on white ermine which is identical to the shield of Brittany and may refer to the origin of the family. Personal identification is provided by the sable chevron which is superimposed on the ermine field. The cockle shells represent further personal identification added over the years. The cockle, or scallop shells, is the symbol of St. James, patron of pilgrims. It was commonly used by Crusaders to indicate a pilgrimage made to the holy land. The basic colors of the coat-of-arms of 1570 are black and gold, while the basic colors of the coat-of-arms of 1682 are black and silver. These differing colors again represent personal identification.

Crests were originally worn by high ranking warriors to

identify their status but were seldom granted to land gentry whose position was based on wealth and property rather than the traditional warrior prowess of knights and nobility. The coat-of-arms of 1570 has no crest. The coat-of-arms of 1682 bears a crest because Mary Brownell married a knight who used his influence to adorn her family arms.

Coat-of-arms were first designed by the men who bore them. As conflicts between persons who had chanced to assume similar arms grew, the need for control was recognized and a College-of-Arms was established in London. The coat-of-arms of 1682 has been officially certified by the College-of-Arms as follows:

"The above arms were granted February 8, 1682 by Sir William Dugdale, Garter Principal King of Arms, to Sir Robert Dacres, for his wife Dame Mary Dacres, daughter and heir of John Brownell of the town of Derby . . ."

A motto is not granted with an English coat-of-arms. Recipients add their own motto.

Heraldry, in its original sense, is an anachrinism. We no longer identify our possessions, or ourselves, with a personal coat-of-arms, registered at the College-of-Arms, and engraved on a signet ring to facilitate impressing our mark upon soft wax. Today we use a coat-of-arms as a "family badge" rather than a personal symbol. If we are interested in our family we might display an authenticated family coat-of-arms just as we would an ancestor's portrait. Such a display implies that relationship exists, and propriety should discourage the display of a coat-of-arms simply because it bears an identical surname.

The Brownell Arms of 1682 are described in *Crozier's General Armory* as follows:

"Arms - Ermine, on a chevron cotised sable,
three escallops argent

Crest - Out of a ducal coronet a triple plume
of feathers, five, four, and three."

Origin of the Name Brownell

Family names first became common in the early feudal period of the eleventh century. They derived their origins from places of residence, occupations, or personal characteristics used as nicknames.

The name of Brownell is said to have been given to its bearer because of his brunette or brownish complexion and was probably first adopted as a surname by the son of one so called. It is found on the ancient English and early American records in various forms of Brunell, Brunnell, Brunnel, Brunel, Brunall, Brounell, Brounel, Brownelle, Brownel, Brownill, Braunell, Braunel, Brawnell, Brownall, Brownell and others, of which the last form mentioned is that generally accepted in America today.

It is said that the family bearing this name in England was originally seated in Derbyshire, although the ancient records of this line are not in evidence. Branches of the family also spread at early dates to London, Yorkshire, Warwickshire and other parts of the British Isles and were, for the most part, of the landed gentry and yeomanry of Great Britain.

In reference to the ancestry of the American family of Brownell, most authorities agree that the emigrant Thomas, from whom most, if not all, of the families of the name in America trace their descent, came from Yorkshire, although one Brownell writer claims that he is the descendent of Sir Edmund Brownell, Mayor of Coventry, England, in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, between 1553 and 1603.

Another branch of the before mentioned Derbyshire line of the family was represented in the latter half of the eighteenth century by one Peter Brownell, who made his home at Sheffield, in Yorkshire, England, and married Mariann, daughter of Jonathan Wilkinson of that place, but the exact connection between this and the earlier line has not been found.

It is not definitely known from which of the many illustrious lines of the family in England all of the early settlers of the name in America were descended, but it is generally believed that all of the Brownells were of common origin at a remote period.

St. Mary's Church

by Phyllis M. Cater

St. Mary's Church, Rawmarsh, 1127 to the present day.



The Church in England in which Thomas Brownell (1) was baptised.

It is almost impossible to fix the precise date of the foundation of a church whose early beginnings stretch far into the mists of time, but it is safe to say that the first church in Rawmarsh, erected in so dominant a position at the top of a hill, took shape sometime in the latter part of the Norman period.

The approximate date when work began on the nave was 1127 whilst the lower half of the tower was built about 1140; the top half of the tower was the work of a later period. The first Rector to be appointed was William de Dutton who began his period of office in June 1227. Unfortunately little is known of

these early Rectors who ministered to their flock in Rawmarsh, nor can one be certain of the exact dates when they held office.

All that remains of that original Norman church, which survived with little change, apart from some interior alterations, until the nineteenth century, are some parts of the south door which have been reset into the more recent one. What does remain however, and is certainly Rawmarsh Parish Church's oldest possession in an ancient cross shaft which had stood for centuries in the churchyard on the south side of the church.

The Brownell Family in England

Genealogy prior to the sixteenth century is generally speculative since written records were seldom maintained before that time.

The family is said to have resided in Brittany and may have come to England as part of the Norman invasion of 1066. The origin of the name, together with the fact that the basic shield of the coat-of-arms is identical to the Shield of Brittany, may lend credence to this claim.

Landed gentry named Brownell lived in Derby, England during the sixteenth century. Elizabeth Brownell and a latter John Brownell have been identified. The Coat-of-arms of 1570 was granted for service to the crown and Elizabeth is said to have been named for the reigning monarch, Queen Elizabeth I.

A descendant of John, named Mary Brownell, married Sir Robert Dacres and through her husband's influence achieved the crest which adorns the Coat-of-Arms of 1682.

Another descendant of the Brownell's of Derbyshire was Robert Brownell, from whom we trace our genealogical line. He was born in the late sixteenth century and was evidently from a younger-son branch located north of Derby in the parish of Rawmarsh, Yorkshire. There he married Mary Wilson of Ryecroft, Yorkshire and raised at least two sons and one daughter. The first of these was George Brownell, born at Rawmarsh on March 23, 1605. The second was our ancestor, Thomas Brownell (1), born at Rawmarsh on June 5, 1608 and destined to be the first Brownell to settle on this side of the Atlantic.

The brothers, George and Thomas Brownell, moved to London and became drapers (fabric merchants).

Thomas Brownell (1) married Anna Boume at St. Benet's Church, Paul's Wharf, London on March 20, 1637. They resided in the parish of St. Mary Cole in London until they emigrated to the New England Colonies in 1638.

George Brownell apparently remained a citizen of London. The will of Thomas Wilson (dated 1657 refers to "my cousin George Brownell of London" and to "my cousin Thomas Brownell of Portsmouth, Rhode Island in New England." Thomas Wilson was at one time a citizen of London and a fabric merchant. In his later days he resided at Ryecroft, Yorkshire.

Written by: Dr. Richard Brownell
Salisbury, North Carolina

Will of Thomas Wilson 1657

Thomas Wilson was the brother of Mary Wilson who married Robert Brownell. Robert and Mary (Wilson) Brownell were the parents of George Brownell and Thomas Brownell (1). Both were baptised in the Rawmarsh church, located in Rawmarsh, Yorkshire, England. They are the same George and Thomas Brownell called "cousin" in the will of Thomas Wilson. The abstract of the will of Thomas Wilson given below, may be found in Volume 1, page 646, of *Genealogical Gleanings in England* by Henry F. Waters (1901).

Thomas Wilson the elder, sometimes citizen and clothworker of London but now resident of Ryecroft in the parish at Rawmarsh and county of York, 25 February 1657, proved 14 February 1658 (English Style). My body to be buried in the church or chancel of Rawmarsh. My lands in Hunslett in the parish of Leeds, amounting in value, as now leased, to the yearly rent of thirty-six pounds, to my son Thomas Wilson and Agnus his wife, for their natural lives and the longer liver of them, and after their decease to the heirs of his body lawfully begotten; and for the want of such issue I give it equally to my two neices or grandchildren, Mrs. Alice Smith, wife of William Smith, now citizen and mercer of London, and Mrs. Dorcas Clarke, wife of William Clarke, in the county of Lincoln gent and their children. To the school of Rawmarsh for the better maintenance and encouragement of the schoolmaster there for the time being and for the teaching and instructing of seven poor children of the parish and for keeping the school in good repair, three pounds six shillings eight pence yearly to be paid out of the rent of Ryecroft by the tenant or occupant whosoever he shall be. I give to Robert and Mary, children of Thomas and Anna Jessop, ten pounds apiece to be paid to Thomas Jessop, their father. To the poor of Rawmarsh forty shillings yearly. John Dobson and his wife and children shall have ten shillings &c.

I give to my cousin George Brownell of London twenty pounds to be paid out of the rents of Ryecroft &c. I give unto my cousin Thomas Brownell of Portsmouth, Rhode Island in New England and to his children twenty pounds to be paid either to him himself, if he shall come over to receive the same or else to such person or persons in his behalf as he shall lawfully assign to receive the same. To Mary daughter of Thomas Jessop twenty pounds. To Mary daughter of George Brownell ten pounds at day of marriage if with the father's consent, if not then

to her father. To my kinswoman Mrs. Anne Hall of Nottingham ten pounds. To Thomas Jessop the younger ten pounds, and it is my mind and will concerning him, if he prove ingenious and capable of learning that he be sent to the University of Cambridge to study Divinity, and to that end for his encouragement and towards his maintenance there, that he have ten pounds a year &c. for the term of seven years next after his going thither. To my kindred Grace Hall, Elizabeth Brooks, Jane Hall, George Hall and Lancelot Waterhouse six shillings and eight pence apiece, if they take it as a free gift without any other respects or conditions. To Mr. Richardson ten shillings. To Gervas Sheppeard two shillings. To George Wright, Elizabeth Webster, and Edward Wright two shillings apiece. Remainder to my son Thomas and the heirs of his body lawfully begotten and to be begotten forever; but for want of such issue I give it to Thomas Jessop the younger and his heirs forever, with respect to be had to the rest of his brethern and sisters for their better subsistence and maintenance in the world. My son Thomas and Thomas Jessop the elder to be joint executors.

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Inquest into Death of Thomas Brownell (1)

Tragic death of Thomas Brownell 1

Testimony of Daniel Lawton at the inquest of Thomas Brownell

The testimony of Daniel Lawton aged about twenty-one years or thereabouts being according to law upon oath ingaged testifieth that yesterday in the afternoon Mr. Brownell being at the depontants fathers house, Mr. Brownell asked the depondant whether he would ride towards Portsmouth town along with him, the depontant answered he would so they both ride together, and when they were come down the hill at the head of William Wodells ground, Mr. Brownell put his horse on a gallop afore the depontant, whereupon this depontant also put on his horse and presently out run Mr. Brownell and got afore him, and so continued on his gallop some distance of way afore he lookt back but at length looking back to see where Mr. Brownell was he spied his horse running alone out of the way into a swamp whereupon this depontant forth with, not mistrusting emminant danger to the man ran and turned horse and brought him into the way where presently he saw Mr. Brownell lying on the ground, and the depontant called but none answering he lett horse goe and went

up to him and took him by the arms, whereby and also by the efusion of very much blood from him on the ground he perceived the sayd Mr. Brownell was dead. This deponant doth testify the above written.

Before us the 25th of September 1660

William Baulston, Asst.

John Sanford, Asst.

These to the Corroner Mr. William Baulston Assistant - Wee of the Inquest being apoynted and Ingaged to Sitt on the Body or Corps of Thomas Brownell of portsmo; who was found dead on the high way against the upper end of the land of William Wodell yesterday being the 24th of this instant month

This is our Return judgement and sence thereon, We find by Evident Signs and apeerances, as a very great Efusion of Blood, and the Raines of his bridle being broken and lying neare by him, as also an apparent signs of a Stroke on a tree neare to where he lay and some blood and hair sticking on the Sayd tree That the Sayd Brownell came by his death thus he Riding furiously with his horse down hill was throwne or dashed against the sayd tree, and his Skull Broke and to our understanding his Brains came out This wee find was the Cause of his death

Signed with the full agreement and Consent of the rest of the Jury

the 25th Sept 1664

Samuel Wilbure, forman

Will of Thomas Brownell (1)

Will of Thomas Brownell (1)

(Made by the Town Council of Portsmouth, Rhode Island)

dated September the 16th, Ano Dom 1665

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Whereas by the wonderful provedence of almighty God Thomas Brownell of the Town of Portsmouth within the collony of Rhode Island and providence plantations in New England in America Deceased on the 24th day of September last past (1664) And not having a will how and to whom his Estate Should be

devided, Therefore and in pursuance of that power by the law of this collony to us comited and the Reall Setlment of the Estate of the Sayd deceased Thomas Brownell Wee the Counsell of the Towne of portsmouth with the Free and vollentary Consent of Ann Brownell Widow to the Sayd deceased Thomas Brownell upon and deliberate Consideration do hereby Declare as the will of the Deceased That wee do hereby apoynte and empower the Sayd Ann Brownell whole and Sole Exequetrix to the Estate of her Deceased Husband Thomas Brownell to Receive and pay all debts to all bargains and Covenants to be performed and especaly with mr. William Brenton concerning the Exchanging of Lands, to perform and pay and make good all the several Legasies to her severall children as hereafter is Experst Wee doe therefore agree and order that the Sayd Ann Brownell is to have the use Benefitt and profit of all the housings and Lands of the Sayd Deceased Thomas Brownell untill the time of the marridge of her Eldist Sonn George or till he comes of age of one and twenty yeares, at Either of which time the Sayd George Brownell shall have and posses the one half of the land it being at the apoyntment of the Exequetrix which half is possession of the sayd Ann untill the time of her death at which time all the Lands and housing aforesaid Shall Return unto the Sayd George Brownell Eldist sonn to the deceased Thomas Brownell or to his heirs if he have any, if not then the Land and Housing shall go to the next Eldist sonn of the deceased Thomas Brownell that Shall

be living or to his lawfull heirs, only if the SaydExequetrix shall Decease before the time of the performance of the Severall Lagacies then the Sayd George Brownell or who shall posses the Lands shall pay and perform the Severall Lagacies at the time hereafter Specified, that Shall then be unpaid And wee doe order that Robert Brownell second sonn to the deceased Shall have the some of Twenty pounds which Shall be payed to him at the age of one and Twenty years, and to William Brownell the third sonn wee order the some of Twenty pounds to be payed him at the age of one and Twenty years: the some tenn shillings to be payd to Mary Hazard Eldist daughter to the Sayd Deceased Thomas Brownell and to forth with payd unto her: And wee doe order that Sarah Freeborn the second daughter Shall have the Some of tenn shillings forthwith payd unto her And to Martha Brownell the third daughter wee doe order the some of Twenty pounds to be payed to her at the day of her marridge: And wee doe order that Ann Brownell the fourth daughter shall have the Some of Twenty pounds payd unto her at the day of marriage: And wee agree and order that Susanah Brownell the fifth daugh-

ter shall have the Some of Twenty pounds payd unto her at the day of her marriage: And wee agree and order that if any of the aforementioned Robert, William, Thomas, Martha, Ann, Susannah if either shall Die before the payment of their Legacie or without heirs then the Legacies of the deceased Shall be divided amongst those of the fore named six that Shall then be living and in Ratifygation and Confirmation of the Said act order and agreeement wee have hereunto putt our hands the day and yeare afore-sayd.

William Baulston, Asistant Samual Wilbur, Asistant
John Albro John (his L mark) Brigs John Sanfordp

Will of Thomas Brownell (2)

Will of Thomas (2) sixth child of Thomas (1) and Ann (Bourne) Brownell, Little Compton, R.I.

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Elder John Crandall of Rhode Island and descendents
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1730 Will - proved 1732, Jun. 20, Exs. wife Mary and son Thomas.

To wife, half of dwelling house and half of orchard, for life, use of all bills and bonds, or 40 pounds per year instead, all my negroes and half of chattles, for life, and use of all household goods. To son Thomas 10 pounds at decease of wife, and confirmation of deed of gift formerly made, and like legacy to son John, George, and Jeremiah. To son Charles, all farming tools, and half of outdoor stock, 10 pounds and confirmation of deed, he bringing his mother firewood, for life, &c. To granddaughter Mary Carr, 100 pounds, two feather beds, trunk, &c., and at death of her grandmother, rest of household goods, but if said granddaughter die before eighteen, then five sons of testor to have.

Inventory, 1,807 pounds, 1s. 6d, viz: wearing apparel and sword 34 pounds, 14s 6d, 5 beds, churn, pair of cards, loom, shoemakers tools, silver money 14s. 8d., English half pence 11 pounds, 12 s. 5d. (at 2d. apiece), money scales, tankard, bonds 1,052 pounds 12s. 1d., mare, pair of oxen, 6 cows, 4 young cattle, 26 sheep, 12 lambs, 3 calves, 23 geese, 11 swine, old negro man and woman, 90 pounds, hive of bees, &c.

1735, Jun. 9, Will - proved 1736, Nov. 19, Widow Mary, Ex. brother George Pearce. To sons Thomas, George, Jeremiah and Charles, is. each. To grandson Samuel, son of Charles, a feather bed, To brother George Pearce, a mare, he paying 8 pounds to my son John Brownell. To granddaughter Mary Carr, money, bills and bonds, &c.

Inventory, 175 pounds, 12s. 4d.

Jeremiah Brownell of Little Compton

LC with Genealogy

To wife Deborah (Burgess) bed, bedstead, puter platter and a cow.

To son Jeremiah Brownell 5 shillings as he already had his share. He to be executor.

To son Pearce Brownell land I bought of William Head son of Henry with housings.

To son Edward Brownell 5 shillings.

To son Thomas Brownell all upland, Salt Meadow and housing in Dartmouth I bought of Joseph Devil, son of David Devil.

To son David Brownell land I bought of Thomas Cornall of Dartmouth in Dartmouth where he now lives.

To son Joshua Brownell all land at the east of Quicksand Pond Except 5 acres bounded west Quicksand Pond, north Ichabod Richmond east land I sold to my son Aaron Brownell.

To son John Brownell all my homestead farm I now live on with housing also case of bottles, meat tub and it is marked J.B. He to be sole executor and have my saddle and bridle and a riding beast.

To my daughter Mary Brownell 100 pds old tenor.

To daughter Hester Howland 100 pds.

To three grandsons sons of my son Aaron Deceased namely Edward, Jeremiah and Ichabod 200 pds. old tenor, at age of 21.

To grandson Jeremiah Brownell tw siler spoons.

To granddaughter Deborah Brownell one silver spoon.

To granddaughter Deborah Howland one silver spoon.

To wife the use of the great room in my now dwelling house, chease room and one fourth of the cellar during her widowhood.

To sons Joshua and John Brownell the remainder of stock.

To son John Brownell all of my moneys.

Jeremiah Brownell

Witnesses.

Richmond Brownell

Aaron Wilbor Will made Oct 21 1754 and proved June 29, 1756

Nathaniel Searles

*This book
follows
chronic Brownell
3rd generation,
brother of son
George Brownell*

Thomas Brownell Genealogical Line

ROBERT BROWNELL

of Rawmarsh, Yorkshire, England. Married - Mary Wilson in 1605 at Sheffield, County of York. Children born to Robert and Mary (Wilson) Brownell:

1. George - Baptised March 23, 1606
2. Thomas - Baptised June 5, 1608
3. Ann - Baptised July 28, 1611

THOMAS BROWNELL (1)

Son of Robert and Mary (Wilson) Brownell. Baptised June 5, 1608 in Rawmarsh, Yorkshire, England. Died September 24, 1664 near Portsmouth, Rhode Island, U.S.A. Married Ann Bourne March 20, 1637 in London, England.

Ann Bourne was born July 28, 1611 - recorded in Church of St. Benets and St. Peters, Pauls Wharf, London, England. She died in 1665 in Portsmouth, Rhode Island, U.S.A.

They came to Portsmouth, R.I. in 1638 on the ship *Whale*. Children born to Thomas (1) and Ann (Bourne) Brownell:

1. Mary, 2. Sarah, 3. Martha, 4. George, 5. William, 6. Thomas, 7. Robert, 8. Ann. All born in Portsmouth.

In Portsmouth he was appointed Water Bailey* May 20, 1647, was made a Freeman** in 1655, appointed a commissioner*** in 1655, 61, 62 & 63, and appointed Deputy**** in 1664.

Ann Brownell, widow and executrix of Thomas Brownell in 1665 exchanged certain land with William Brenton, fulfilling a contract made by her husband, previous to his decease.

THOMAS BROWNELL(2)

Son of Thomas (1) and Ann (Borne) Brownell. Born 1650 in Portsmouth, Rhode Island, U.S.A. Died May 18, 1732 in Little Compton, R.I. and buried in the Brownell Graveyard in Portsmouth, R.I. Married Mary Pearce of Little Compton, R.I. in 1678 in Tiverton, R.I. She was born May 6, 1654, the daughter of Richard and Susanna (Wright) Pearce. She died on May

4, 1736 in Little Compton, R.I. and is buried in the Brownell Graveyard in Portsmouth, R.I.

Children born to Thomas (2) and Mary (Pearce) Brownell: 1. Thomas, 2. John, 3. George, 4. Jeremiah, 5. Mary, 6. Charles. All born in Little Compton, Rhode Island. ✓

JEREMIAH BROWNELL (3)

Son of Thomas (2) and Mary (Pearce) Brownell. Born October 10, 1689 in Little Compton, R.I. Died June 1756 in Little Compton, Rhode Island, U.S.A. Married Deborah Burgess November 6, 1712. Deborah was born at Little Compton in 1694 and died July 1, 1779, the daughter of Thomas and Esther (Richmond) Burgess.

Children born to Jeremiah (3) and Deborah (Burgess) Brownell: 1. Jeremiah, 2. Pearce, 3. Edward, 4. Mary, 5. George, 6. Deborah, 7. Aaron, 8. Thomas, 9. David, 10. Joshua, 11. John, 12. Ester. All born in Little Compton, R.I.

Jeremiah Brownell (3) was in the civil service at Little Compton from November 25, 1718 until August 26, 1755. In October 1750 he was appointed one of the four Justices of the peace for Little Compton. He served in that position until his death. At the time of the French and Indian War, Jeremiah was appointed a member of the War Commission, serving from 1754 to 1756.

AARON BROWNELL (4)

Son of Jeremiah (3) and Deborah (Burgess) Brownell. Born August 11, 1722 in Little Compton, Rhode Island. Died September 17, 1754 in Little Compton, R.I. Married Alice Southworth of Little Compton, R.I. March 1745. Alice was born November 24, 1724 in Little Compton, the daughter of Edward and Elizabeth (Palmer) Southworth.

Children born to Aaron (4) and Alice (Southworth) Brownell: 1. Edward, 2. Elizabeth, 3. Jeremiah, 4. Ichabod, 5. Lucy, 6. Comfort, 7. Aaron.

JEREMIAH BROWNELL (5)

Son of Aaron (4) and Alice (Southworth) Brownell. Born April 21, 1749 in Little Compton, Rhode Island, U.S.A. Died April 11, 1835 in Jolicure, New Brunswick, Canada. Married Anna Copp (the date of their marriage is not known). Anna was born July 6, 1749 in New London, Conn. and died November 17, 1829 in Jolicure, N.B., the daughter of John and Isabel (Dixon) Copp.

Children born to Jeremiah (5) and Anna (Copp) Brownell: 1. Aaron, 2. John, 3. Jeremiah, 4. Thomas, 5. William George, 6. Edward, 7. Sarah, 8. Anna, 9. Lavinia.

* Water Bailey - Is an official having certain jurisdiction over fisheries and other maritime matters.

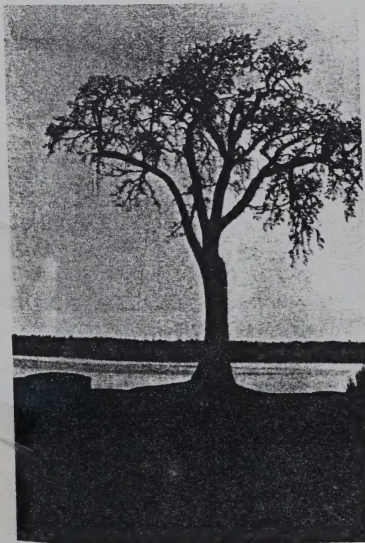
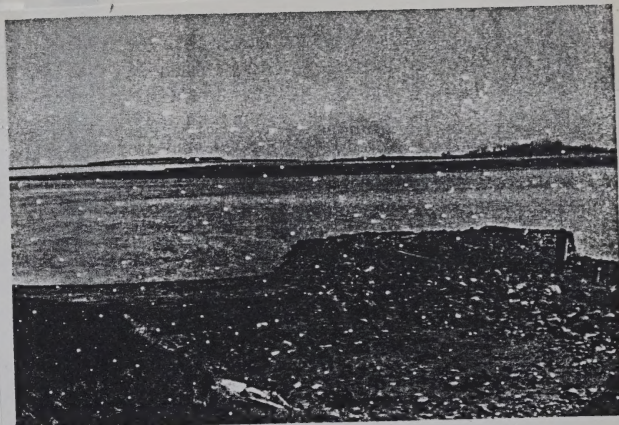
** Freeman - Was an honour bestowed on a person. Only a church member was so honoured. Only a freeman was allowed to participate in the local government.

*** Commissioner - Is the officer in charge of a department or bureau of the public service.

****Deputy - Is a member of the common council who acts as an alderman's deputy.

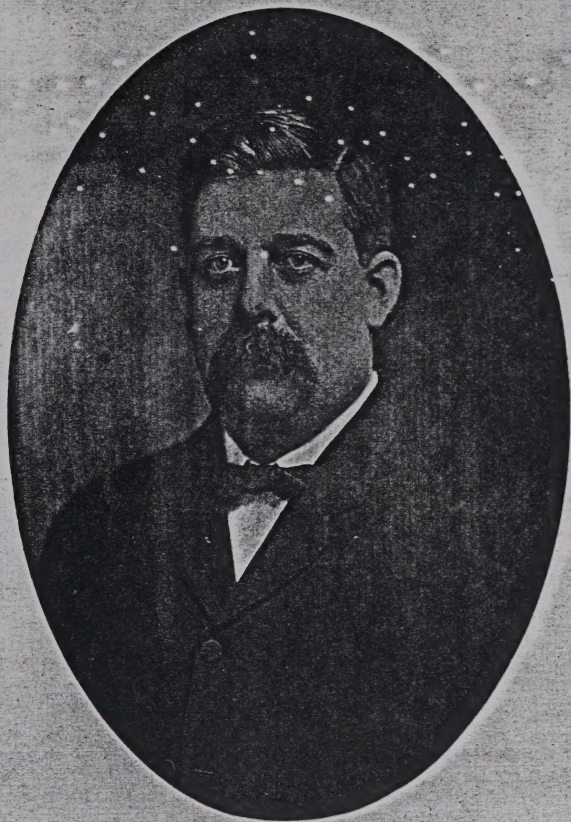
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The site where the Planters landed in 1761. Among them was Alice Brownell and her two children Jeremiah and Lucy.

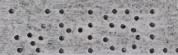
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Much more has been learned of the family's
origins since this was published in 1910.

PREFACE

Of Thomas Brownell and his wife Ann, the ancestors of our family, very little is known except that they were of English descent. It is claimed that he was born in Derbyshire, England, about 1618. Was married in 1638 to Ann, his wife, whose maiden surname is unknown, and came to America in 1639. Austin in his Genealogical Dictionary of Rhode Island states that he was the son of Sir Edward or Edmund Brownell; of this we have been unable to find any proof. To substantiate the fact that Thomas Brownell was a descendant of the Brownells of Derbyshire, it has been claimed by one of his descendants, that some of their ancestors who lived in Rhode Island during the seventeenth century possessed plate upon which was engraved the Coat of Arms of the Brownells of Derbyshire, England.

That he came to this country about the time of his marriage seems very reasonable, as our earliest knowledge of him in this country, is that in 1647, he was living in Aquidneck, a settlement at the northern end of the island of Rhode Island, now known as Portsmouth. This settlement had been made nine years before this date by a little group of men and women who had been driven out of Boston, Mass., because, Hutchinson and Mrs. Hutchinson had seduced them into dangerous errors." There in Aquidneck they had made that famous compact of government, which is in these words: "The seventh day of the first month, 1638. We whose names are underwritten, do hereby solemnly, in the presence of Jehova, Incorporate ourselves into a bodie Politick, and, as He shall help, will submit our persons, lives and estates unto our Lord Jesus Christ, the King of Kings and Lord of Lords, and to all those perfect and most absolute laws of His, given us in His Holy Word of Truth, to be guided and judged thereby.—Exod. 24, 2-3. 2 Chron. 2-3. 2 Kings 2-17."

This compact had been signed by William Coddington, John Clark and seventeen others. Twelve of the signers were members of the Boston church, and all except two were among those who had been required to give up their arms in Boston in the previous year, on account of their adherence to the doctrines of Mrs. Hutchinson.

It was among these people, who had been driven from Massachusetts colony for their religious opinions, that he cast his lot, and we may judge somewhat of him and his character, from that circumstance.

In 1895, the compiler became interested in collecting genealogical data of the descendants of Thomas and Ann Brownell. Having been very successful in accumulating a large amount of data, and as he was in receipt of many inquiries from other members of the family, he decided to publish the results of his labor in book form for the benefit of present and future generations, which he has been able to accomplish with the assistance of Mr. Simeon Brownell. Dewittville, N. Y., who so kindly backed him in this enterprise.

Great pains have been taken to avoid errors in names or dates, but as they are liable to occur in compiling a work of this kind, the compiler would be thankful if anyone finding mistakes, no matter how trivial, would inform him, giving number of page on which they occur, so that he may be able to make proper corrections in the next volume.

We desire to express to those who have so kindly assisted us in our work of collecting data used in this book, our sincere appreciation of their services in our behalf, and wish that they may join us in the enjoyment of the fact of being able to hand down to posterity the genealogy of our ancestors, Thomas and Ann Brownell.



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HISTORICAL RECORD OF THOMAS BROWNELL

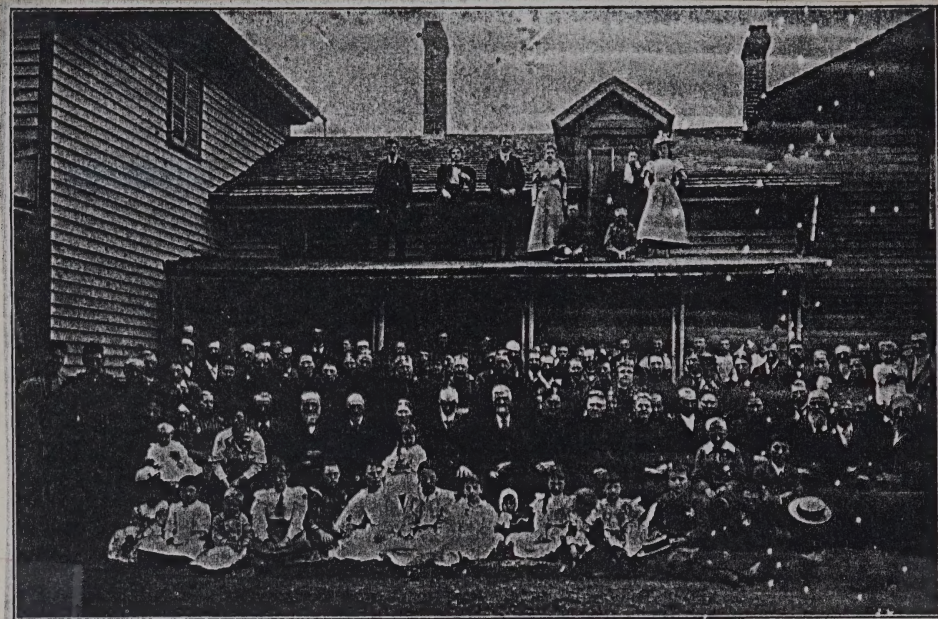
THOMAS BROWNELL.

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Thomas Brownell, of Derbyshire, England, born about 1619; died 1665; married about 1638, Ann, (surname unknown), and had eight children. MARY, born 1639; died January 12, 1739; married Robert Hazard. SARAH, died September 6, 1676; married Gideon Freeborn. MARTHA, born May, 1643; died February 15, 1744; married Jeremiah Wait, (2) Charles Dyer. GEORGE, born 1646; died April 20, 1718; married Susanna Pearce. WILLIAM, born 1648; died 1715; married Sarah Smiton. THOMAS, born 1650; died May 18, 1732; married Mary Pearce. ROBERT, born 1652; died July 22, 1728; married Mary, (surname unknown). ANN, born 1654; died April 2, 1747; married Joseph Wilbur.

March 18, 1647, he was one of the witnesses to the will of John Walker, of Portsmouth, R. I. On May 20, 1647, he was appointed Water Bailiff. In 1655, he became Freeman. 1655-61-62-63, he was member of Court of Commissioners. April 4, 1658, he sold Thomas Lawton 35 acres of land. He was Deputy in General Assembly in 1664.

On November 6, 1665, Ann Brownell, widow and executrix of Thomas Brownell, exchanged certain lands with William Brenton, fulfilling a contract made by her husband previous to his decease.



FIRST ANNUAL REUNION OF THE BROWNELL FAMILY

About the middle of the Seventeenth century there died in England, one Thomas Wilson, described in his will as "the elder sometime citizen and clothmaker of London, but now resident at Ryecroft in the Parish of Rawmarsh and County of York." This will was dated February 25, 1657, and proved on the 14th day of February, 1658. In it, he made the following bequest: "I give to my cousin, George Brownell of London twenty pounds, to be paid him out of the rents of Ryecroft. To Mary, daughter of George Brownell ten pounds, at day of her marriage, if with her father's consent; if not, to her father. I give to my cousin, Thomas Brownell of Portsmouth, R. I., in New England, and to his children twenty pounds, to be paid either to himself, if he shall come over to receive the same or else to such person or persons in his behalf as he shall lawfully assign to receive same."

Concerning this Thomas Brownell, of whom this is the only English reference which I have met with, very little is known, save that he is the ancestor of all the Brownells in the United States, except some of recent immigration. He was born in 1619. He came from Derbyshire, England. He married in 1638, Ann, his wife whose maiden surname is unknown. It has been stated that he came to America in 1639, but I know of no authority for the statement. I have been unable to find his name in any of the lists of passengers to America in the 17th century, which has been collected and printed.

Our earliest knowledge of him after he immigrated is that, in 1647, he was living in Aquilneck, a settlement at the northern end of the island of Rhode Island, now known as Portsmouth. This settlement had been made nine years before this date by a little group of men and women who had been driven out of Boston because as was stated at the time "the opinions and revelations of Mr. Hutchinson and Mrs. Hutchinson had seduced them into dangerous errors."

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This compact had been signed by William Coddington, John Clarke and seventeen others. Twelve of the signers were members of the Boston church, and all except two were among those who had been required to give up their arms in Boston in the previous year, on account of their adherence to the doctrines of Mrs. Hutchinson.

It was among these people who had been driven from Massachusetts colony for their religious opinions, that Thomas Brownell cast his lot, and we judge somewhat of him and his character from that circumstance. The earliest mention of his name in the records of Portsmouth is under date of March 10th, 1647, when he witnessed the will of John Walker of Portsmouth. He signed "with his mark." John Walker was one of the nineteen signers of the compact of March 7th, 1638 (that being "first month.") Among the old records of the Superior Court of Newport, R. I. for a term of court held in March, 1723, about seventy-six years after the date of John Walker's will, we find the depositions taken in a controversy about this John Walker's homestead. These depositions are of interest to the descendants of Thomas Brownell. They were taken in an action of trespass brought by Mary Borden, widow, grand-daughter of John Walker of Portsmouth against Gideon Freeborn of Portsmouth.

Mary Gatchell of Tiverton, widow, age seventy-seven years, testified in her deposition taken in August, 1721, that she remembered John Walker and more especially, Katherine his wife, who survived him; that Katherine when she went to the water mill of William Freeborn, she used to leave the house of said John Walker to go to said Freeborn's on the right hand, that said Walker's land, as was called, lay to the southward of the land of Robert Hazard; that said mill was southward of said Walker's land; that said Walker's land extended westward to the sea and eastward up to the common and that the White Rocks to the northward of the corner thereof; and as deponent used to go by water to said mill in a canoe, she hath often heard the people with her say, when they were against the lands butting upon the sea, that is Brownell's land, etc., and there is Goodman Walker's land, etc. She understood the land to be John Walker's by general decree.

Martha Dyer, widow, of Portsmouth, aged seventy-four years, also made a deposition. She was a daughter of Thomas Brownell, and widow of Charles Dyer of Newport, her second husband. It may be stated in passing, that her deceased husband, Charles Dyer,

was a son of Mary Dyer, the Quakeress who returning to Boston after having been expelled, was hanged on Boston Commons June 1, 1660, in the Quaker persecution, and that all of the name of Brownell have therefore reason to feel more than a historic interest in that tragedy. Martha Dyer's deposition was taken August 28, 1721. She testified that she had some knowledge of the widow Walker, and where said Walker lived, which was in a house between the lands of the deponent's father's and after, of Robert Hazard, and lands of William Freeborn, said house stood on the right hand of an old path that led from Robert Hazard's house and land unto a grist mill of James Sands or William Freeborn.

Robert Brownell of Little Compton, a son of Thomas Brownell "aged seventy years past" made his deposition in August, 1721. He deposed that he formerly lived in Portsmouth, had knowledge of land called John Walker's, that James Sands lived upon the lower part next the sea. He also deposed that said land lay between land of William Freeborn and land of Thomas Brownell, the deponent's father, joining northward on said Thomas Brownell's land, which after was Robert Hazard's land; that there was a water grist mill stood on the southward side of said Walker's land or near it. Soon after Phillip's War, Gideon Freeborn by two Indians erected a stone wall, etc. Deponent further says that his brother-in-law, Robert Hazard, and James Sands made an exchange of lands, etc.

I have quoted somewhat at length from the quaintly phrased evidence in this old land case, because it shows with some exactness where Thomas Brownell's farm was, and who was his nearest neighbors. It shows to one familiar with the locality or any one examining a map of Rhode Island, that his farm was on the western side of the north-western end of Rhode Island; that it extended down to the water and looked out on Narragansett Bay, probably not far from where now is situated the Old Coal mine; that his next neighbor on the south was John Walker, whose will he witnessed; and next south of John Walker lived William Freeborn, whose son Gideon—above mentioned as building a wall "by two Indians"—married June 1st, 1658, Sarah Brownell, Thomas Brownell's second daughter. The Robert Hazard who afterwards owned the Brownell land was a son of Thomas Hazard and a son-in-law of Thomas Brownell, having married Mary Brownell, who was Thomas Brownell's eldest daughter.

I have no earlier reference to Thomas Brownell than the date

of 1647, when he acted as a witness to John Walker's will. The next reference to him in the Rhode Island records is that, on May 20, 1647, he became "water bailey." I have been unable to find out the duties and functions of this office. He was six times elected Commissioner or Deputy; in May and June, 1655; May, 1661; October, 1662; May, 1663; and May, 1664.

He became Freeman of Portsmouth in 1655. On April 4, 1658, he sold to one Thomas Lawton thirty-five acres of land. On April 17, 1657, Casanaquant, Chief Sachem of the Narragansett, in consideration of "gifts of value received" and one hundred pounds, deeded the island Quononquot, opposite Newport—now known as Conanicut—to William Coddington and Benedict Arnold, Sen.,—both of Newport—"for themselves and such others of the free inhabitants of Rhode Island and others of their friends as are in covenant with them," by writings bearing date March 10, 1657 or 1658. The grantor agreed at his own charge to remove all Indians and clear them off from the island.

The agreement of March 10, 1657 or 1658, above referred to, was signed by Governor Coddington, Robert Hazard, John Greene, Jr., of Warwick, and sixty and more others. One of its many provisions for the allotment among the purchasers of land so bought, provided as follows: "Thomas Brownell (and many others mentioned by name) shall each of them pay one sixty-seventh part of the whole charge, and shall receive each of them one sixty-seventh part of the promised premises." Among the many signatures to this agreement is that of Thomas Brown, signed "by his mark." As no Thomas Brown is mentioned in the body of the instrument, I have no doubt that this signature is that of Thomas Brownell. We do not know the exact date of Thomas Brownell's death, or what provisions he made in his will. On November 6, 1665, Ann Brownell, his widow and executrix, exchanged certain lands with William Brenton, fulfilling a contract made by her husband previous to his death. We only know that he died between May, 1664, when he was elected Deputy, and November 6, 1665, when this exchange was made by his widow. I have now given all that is known of our ancient ancestor. The story is a very short one. I trust further research may give us much further information, not only of him and his life in Portsmouth but of his relatives and ancestry in England.

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Mary Brownell, daughter of Thomas and Ann Brownell, born 1639; died January 12, 1739; married Robert Hazard, son of Thomas and Martha Hazard, born 1635; died 1710, and had nine children. THOMAS, born 1660; died November, 1746; married Susanna (surname unknown). GEORGE, died 1743; married Penelope Wilbur. STEPHEN, died September 29, 1727; married Elizabeth Helme. MARTHA, died 1753; married Thomas Wilcox. A daughter, (given name unknown); married Edward Wilcox. ROBERT, died 1718; married Amey (surname unknown). JEREMIAH, born March 25, 1675; died February 2, 1768; married Sarah Smith. MARY, born 1676; died 1722; married John Robinson. HANNAH, married Jeffery Champlin.

In 1655, Robert Hazard, husband of Mary Brownell, became a Freeman. On January 2, 1658, he sold John Roome of Portsmouth all his interest in Conanicut and Dutch Islands (1-300 part). He and his wife sold James Sands eight acres of land March 13, 1659. He was a member of Court of Commissioners in 1662-70. He bought twenty-five acres of land of Abel Potter March 1, 1663. He was a Deputy in General Assembly in 1664-65-67-70-71. On October 31, 1667, the court of Plymouth ordered, in reference to a controversy between the English and Indians about bounds in Dartmouth, that in case Robert Hazard of Rhode Island, might be procured he should run the line, etc. He was a Juryman in 1670-71. In 1671, he bought five hundred acres of land in Kings Town of the Pellaquanscott purchasers. On November 24, 1671, he sold Gideon Freeborn for eighteen pounds two-thirds of ten acres of land in Narragansett, having sold the other third to George Brownell.

On March 13, 1676, he and three others of Portsmouth were a committee who were ordered by Assembly to appoint their own men as keepers of Indians above twelve years of age (in custody of several inhabitants), that the Indians should be so secured as that they might be hindered from doing damage to the inhabitants in this juncture of time, etc. The Indians were to have sufficient keepers in company with them by day, and were to be locked up at night in a sufficient place of security. Any master offending was to pay a fine of five pounds.

On April 4, 1676, Robert Hazard was on a committee to propose to be four boats with five or six men in each. At same date, he and three others were empowered to take the exact account of all inhabitant boats for the colony's defence "for the present," and there were itants on the island—English, Negroes and Indians, and make a list of the same; also to take account how all persons were provided with corn, guns, powder, shot and lead. A barrel of powder was put in charge of himself and three others, and two great guns in the yard of late deceased William Brenton were to be pressed for country's service, carried to Portsmouth, and placed one in the ferry neck and one near the house of John Borden. They were to cause said guns to be set on carriages and fitted for service.

On April 11, 1676, he and others were appointed as commissioners to take care and order the several watches and wards on this island; and appoint the places. In 1680, he was taxed one pound and five shilling. On January 6, 1686, he signed in full consent a deed given by his nephew Edward Wilcox of Westerly to Isaac Lawton of Portsmouth of sixty acres of land, buildings, etc., in Portsmouth. On September 6, 1687, he was taxed in Kings Town, eleven shillings and seven pence.

On January 14, 1693, he deeded son Stephen for love, etc., certain land at Point Judith Neck. (He called himself late of Portsmouth, now of Kings Town). On May 2, 1698, he deeded son Jeremiah for love, etc., right in two hundred acres of land at Tiverton. On December 9, 1710, he deeded son Robert for three hundred pounds land 'where I now dwell,' one hundred acres with housing, orchard, etc. On January 29, 1734, Mary Brownell Hazard had a legacy from will of her sister, Martha Dyer, of a third of her wearing apparel.

In 1739, her estate was divided by agreement of her heirs, as appears by deposition of Stephen Hull. The deponent stated that some time in January or February he was at the house where Robert Hazard, son of Robert, now lives; there were several people gathered, it being after the death of Mary Brownell Hazard, widow, and they were about dividing her estate. The persons concerned in the division were Thomas, George and Stephen Hazard, Sarah Watson, and Stephen Champlin all of South Kings Town; Jeremiah Hazard, Martha Wilcox and Jeffery Hazard all of North Kings Town; and Stephen Wilcox of Charlestown. It was debated whether they should divide the estate without proving the will of said Mary

Brownell Hazard. Thomas Hazard said he was very free to do it either way, and they all agreed the estate should be divided without proving the will. Robert Wilcox deposed that in said will, which was read, half of said Mary's estate within doors was given Martha Wilcox, and that the executor of the will was Thomas Hazard. Robert Hazard deposed that he read the will to Martha Wilcox, widow, daughter of Mary Brownell Hazard. The above depositions were brought in as evidence in the suit of Martha Wilcox against Thomas Hazard for concealing the will, and the Court of Common Pleas having decided against her she appealed the case to the Supreme Court.

SARAH BROWNELL FREEBORN.

(12.)

Sarah Brownell, daughter of Thomas and Ann Brownell, died September 6, 1676; married June 1, 1658, Gideon Freeborn, son of William and Mary Freeborn, died February 28, 1720, and had six children. MARY, born February 12, 1664; died October 25, 1676. SARAH, born January 14, 1667; died July 10, 1739; married Joseph Wanton. ANN, born March 28, 1669; died 1729; married Thomas Durfee. MARTHA, born August 8, 1671; died November 15, 1748; married Thomas Cornell. SUSANNA, born March 24, 1674; died January 21, 1723. PATIENCE, born March 4, 1676; died April 27, 1757; married William Anthony.

Her husband became a deputy in 1675-90-1703-4-13, and an Overseer of the Poor in 1687. On March 5, 1690, he bought of James Sweet and Jane, his wife, of Prudence Island, for twelve pounds, a quarter of twenty acres of land in Portsmouth, given by Jane's grandfather, William Freeborn, to the mother deceased of Jane. On September 27, 1697, he deeded to his son-in-law, (ie. stepson), George Lawton of Portsmouth, a quarter share in Misquanicut, for love, etc. In May, 1708, he and his wife Mary (second wife) deeded to daughter Mercy Coggeshall, wife of Thomas of Newport, and her child or children, a half share in East Greenwich. On August 1, 1709, he and his wife Mary deeded to daughter Mary Broyton, wife of Thomas of Portsmouth, a half share in East Greenwich, for love, etc., the whole of said tract being one hundred and eighty acres. On July 26, 1712, he deeded kinsman William Man-

chester, son of Thomas of Portsmouth, for love, etc., ten acres of land in Potonomut.

Her husband's will dated January 27, 1715, was proven March 14, 1720; the executor was his son Gideon, the overseers his sons-in-law, Joseph Wanton, and Thomas Cornell. He willed "to son Gideon all homestead farm for life, and at death half to male heir and other half to rest of son's children, (at disposal of said son Gideon) and whoever enjoys farm at death of Gideon shall pay their mother twenty pounds a year while widow. If son Gideon die without male issue, then next male heir to have and to pay each female issue of son Gideon fifty pounds; and to grand-daughter Sarah, daughter of William deceased, fifty pounds; to wife Mary, fifteen pounds yearly while widow, use of great lower room in my new house and lodging room adjoining, firewood, fruit of orchard, use of riding horse, feather bed, etc., and to her a good bed at her disposal,—if she marries only ten pounds a year; to grandson Gideon Wanton, one hundred and twenty acres of land in Tiverton; to daughters, Sarah Wanton, Ann Durfee, Martha Cornell, Susanna Freeborn and Patience Anthony, five hundred acres of land in Pennsylvania equally; to daughter Comfort Freeborn, one hundred acres of land in Freehold, East New Jersey; to grandson, John Freeborn and his children, farm in Coweset, Warwick, of two hundred acres and negro boy Samson, when grandson is of age; to grandson, Gideon Durfee, one hundred acres of land in Coweset; to daughters, Mary Broyton, Mercy Coggeshall and Comfort Freeborn, each three acres of land in Coweset, etc.; to grand-daughters, Elizabeth Borden, Sarah Wanton, Mary Wanton, Ann, Sarah, Patience, Mary, Martha, Susanna and Elizabeth Durfee, Susanna and Sarah Cornell, Abigail and Susanna Anthony, Mary and Hannah Broyton, Elizabeth and Comfort Coggeshall, each forty shillings at eighteen; to grand-daughter, Sarah Freeborn, one hundred acres of land in Coweset; to grandsons, William, George and Gideon Cornell, each fifty acres of land in Coweset; to grandsons Gideon and David Anthony each fifty acres of land in Tiverton, and to grandson William Anthony, forty-five acres of land in Tiverton; to grandsons Thomas and Job Durfee, each fifty acres of land in Coweset; to grandson Edward Wanton, twenty-five acres of land in Tiverton; to grandsons Gideon and Thomas Freeborn, each fifty acres of land in Tiverton; to grandson William Freeborn, land in Portsmouth at decease of said William's father

and if he dies before his father, then to brother Thomas; to granddaughter Susanna Freeborn, fifty acres of land in Coweset; to wife's two grand-daughters, the daughters of George Lawton, each twenty shillings at age; to wife's grandson, John Lawton, forty shillings; to my daughter Susanna Freeborn, twenty-five pounds; to daughter Ann Durfee, twenty-five pounds; son Gideon to care for negro woman Betty for life; to son Gideon, negro man Eben; to grandson Thomas Freeborn, one hundred acres of land in Coweset; to daughter Susanna Freeborn, twenty shillings a year while unmarried, paid her by son Gideon; to daughter Patience Anthony, ten pounds; to daughters Sarah Wanton and Martha Cornell, each ten pounds; to wife Mary, two cows and keep of same by son Gideon, who is to maintain his mother while widow; to Quakers, ten cords of wood delivered at meeting house, a cord each year for ten years; to grandson Gideon Freeborn, silver spoon and silver cup; to grandson William Freeborn, silver spoon; to son-in-law Joseph Wanton, land in Tiverton; to son Gideon, rest of real estate, two cows, a pair of oxen, black mare, fifty sheep, two swine, husbandry gear, bed, silver tankard, etc.; to daughters Susanna Freeborn, Comfort Freeborn and Mercy Coggeshall, each a share of personal; to son Gideon and daughters Sarah Wanton, Ann Durfee, Martha Cornell, Patience Anthony and Mary Broyton, rest of movables.

The inventory amounted to six hundred and seventy-six pounds, twelve shillings and two pence, viz: wearing apparel, bible, and spectacles, twenty-five pounds and one shilling; gun, silver money, thirty-five pounds, four shillings and four pence; plate, eleven pounds, twelve shillings and eight pence; warming pan, feather bed, pewter, cider, two pounds and fourteen shillings; pair of oxen, eight cows, five yearlings, a bull, four horses, sheep, lambs, seventy-eight pounds; swine, two pounds and five shillings; three negroes (man, woman and boy), one hundred and two pounds, etc.

MARTHA BROWNELL WAIT DYER.

(13).

Martha Brownell, daughter of Thomas and Ann Brownell, born May, 1643; died February 15, 1744; married Jeremiah Wait, son of Thomas Wait, died 1677. She married second Charles Dyer, son of William and Mary Dyer, born 1650; died May 15, 1709.

On May 10, 1677, she bought of Daniel and Elizabeth Wilcox

of Dartmouth, for sixteen pounds, an eighth of a share there. On March 8, 1690, she bought of Robert and Mary Brownell, for twenty pounds, thirty acres of land in Little Compton, they calling her sister.

Her will, dated January 29, 1734, was proven March 12, 1744. The executors were her nephews, Joseph and Stephen Brownell; the overseers, her cousins, John Reed and William Hall. She willed "to cousin George Borden, son of cousin Sarah Reed, twenty pounds; to three sisters, Mary Hazard, Ann Wilbur and Susanna Brownell, all wearing apparel; to cousins John Reed of Freetown and William Hall of Portsmouth, each three pounds; to cousins Joseph and Stephen Brownell, sons of brother George Brownell, late deceased, three pounds; to all my cousins, children of my brothers and sisters, balance of estate."

✓ GEORGE BROWNELL.

(14).

George Brownell, son of Thomas and Ann Brownell, born 1646; died April 20, 1718; married December 4, 1673, Susanna Pearce, daughter of Richard and Susanna Wright Pearce, born 1652; died December 24, 1743, and had eight children. SUSANNA, born January 25, 1676; died August 25, 1735; married John Reed, Jr. SARAH, born June 14, 1681; married (given name unknown) Borden. MARY, born December 8, 1683; married William Hall. MARTHA, born February 18, 1685; married Samuel Forman. THOMAS, born June 1, 1688. JOSEPH, born December 5, 1690; married Ruth Cornell. WAITE, born October 3, 1693; married Joshua Sanford. STEPHEN, born December 3, 1695; married Martha Earle.

He was a deputy 1699-1702; and an Assistant Deputy 1706-7-8-9-10-11. In April, 1708, he was appointed on a committee in regard to vacant lands in Narragansett. His will, dated April 17, 1717, was proven May 12, 1718. His wife Susanna was named executrix. He willed "to son Joseph, all housing and lands where I dwell, except lower room, and that at death of wife; to son Stephen, land in Portsmouth and all my new house building thereon, except north end of house reserved for use of my sister, Martha Dyer, and my daughters Susanna and Waite Brownell; to sons Joseph and Stephen, land in Tiverton and Little Compton; to son Joseph, a pair of oxen; to

Sister of our Mary

*John Borden (1675-1719)
(b. 1700)*

*We are descended
from 2 brothers*

son Stephen, a pair of oxen and two cows; to daughter Susanna Brownell, fifty pounds; to daughter Sarah Borden, thirty pounds; to daughter Mary, wife of William Hall, thirty pounds; to daughter Martha, wife of Samuel Forman, thirty pounds; to daughter Waite Brownell, fifty pounds, a good feather bed, etc.; to my sister, Martha Dyer, and daughters Susanna and Waite Brownell, use of north end of new house while unmarried; to wife Susanna, the newest lower room in new dwelling for life, and the rest of movable estate to be at her disposal, she paying legacies."

The inventory amounted to nine hundred and sixty-one pounds, five shillings and ten pence, viz: wearing apparel, silver money, three hundred and forty-four pounds, sixteen shillings and four pence; plate, six pounds; tables, chairs, wheel, loom, weaving gear, one pound and ten shillings; carpenter's tools, etc., seven pounds; a horse, sheep, fifty pounds; two oxen, ten cows, nine two year olds, five yearlings, swine, geese, seven beds, warming pan, etc.

WILLIAM BROWNELL.

(15.)

William Brownell, son of Thomas and Ann Brownell, died 1715; married Sarah Smiton, daughter of William and Sarah Smiton, and had eleven children. THOMAS, born May 25, 1674; married Esther Taber. SARAH, born November 25, 1675. MARTHA, born May 24, 1678; married Jonathan Tripp, (2) Samuel Hart. ANN, born June 4, 1680. WILLIAM, born August 11, 1682. BENJAMIN, born October 20, 1684. ROBERT, born April 11, 1688. MARY, born February 13, 1691. SMITON, born February 13, 1691. GEORGE, born April 13, 1693; married Elizabeth Davol. ALICE, born December 3, 1695.

He became a Freeman in 1677. June 9, 1683, he became Surveyor of Highway at Little Compton. In 1684, he was a constable. On December 4, 1706, at Dartmouth, he took administration on his son-in-law, Jonathan Tripp's estate, the widow, Martha and her second husband, Samuel Hart, refusing.

November 6, 1714, he made his will which was proven August 1, 1715. The executrix was his wife Sarah; the overseers, his friend Nathaniel Soule and son Smiton Brownell; "to wife produce of all my land in Little Compton, and all movables for life, except a feather bed to daughter Alice; to son Smiton, all horsekind and

cattle, left at wife's decease, and half of household stuff; to son Smiton, all land in Little Compton at wife's decease; to four sons, Thomas, William, Benjamin and Robert, twenty shillings equally; to three daughters, Martha, Ann and Mary, fifteen shillings equally."

Inventory, sixty-eight pounds and five shillings, viz: ten acres of land, seven pounds; cow, five heifers, pair of steers, three yearlings, two horsekind, six swine, eight geese, four beds, warming pan, gun, sword, loom and cheese-press.

THOMAS BROWNELL.

(16).

Thomas Brownell, son of Thomas and Ann Brownell, born 1650; died May 18, 1732; married 1678, to Mary Pearce, daughter of Richard and Susanna Wright Pearce, born May 6, 1654; died May 4, 1736, and had six children. THOMAS, born February 16, 1679; died January, 1752; married Mary Crandall. JOHN, born February 21, 1682; died March, 1759; married Mary Carr. GEORGE, born January 19, 1685; died September 22, 1756; married Mary Thurston. JEREMIAH, born October 10, 1689; died June, 1756; married Deborah Burgess. MARY, born March 22, 1692; died July 31, 1717; married E. Carr. CHARLES, born December 23, 1694; died February, 1774; married Mary Wilbur.

His will, dated 1730, was proven June 20, 1732. Executors were wife Mary and son Thomas. He willed "to wife, half of dwelling house and half of orchard, for life, use of all bills and bonds, or forty pounds a year instead, all my negroes and half of chattels, for life, and use of household goods; to son Thomas, ten pounds at decease of wife, and confirmation of deed of gift formerly made, and like legacy to sons John, George and Jeremiah; to son Charles, all farming tools, and half of outdoor stock, ten pounds and confirmation of deed, he bringing his mother firewood for life, etc.; to grand-daughter Mary Carr, one hundred pounds, two feather beds, trunk, etc., and at death of grandmother, rest of household goods, but if said grand-daughter die before eighteen, then five sons of testator to have."

Inventory, one thousand eight hundred and seven pounds, one shilling and six pence, viz: wearing apparel and sword thirty-four pounds, fourteen shillings and six pence; five beds, churn, pair of cards, loom, shoemaker's tools, silver money fourteen shillings and eight pence; English half pence eleven pounds, twelve shillings and

five pence, (at two pence a piece); money scales, tankard, bonds one thousand and fifty-two pounds, twelve shillings and five pence; mare, pair of oxen, six cows, four young cattle, twenty-six sheep, twelve lambs, three calves, twenty-three geese, eleven swine, old negro man and woman ninety pounds; hives of bees, etc.

His wife's will, dated June 9, 1735, proven November 19, 1736. Executor, brother George Pearce. "To sons Thomas, George, Jeremiah and Charles, one shilling each; to grandson Samuel, son of Charles, a feather bed; to brother George Pearce, a mare, he paying eight pounds to son John Brownell; to grand-daughter Mary Carr, money, bills, bonds, etc.

Inventory, one hundred and seventy-five pounds, twelve shillings and four pence.

ARTICLE BY MRS. MARCIA BROWNELL BREADY.

In 1672, the Plymouth Colony obtained from the General Court of Plymouth a grant of that tract of land called by the Indians "Sogkonate" or the "Haunt of the Wild Goose," lying on the east side of Narragansett Bay and adjoining the ocean. This land was bought of Awashonks, the squaw sachem of the Sogkonate Indians, the latter remaining in the country. Colonel Benjamin Church was the first Englishman to build on this peninsula in 1674. The breaking out of Phillips' war, however, interrupted the settlement, and attention was given to defence until the ending of the war in 1676. Settlers then poured in, not only from Massachusetts, but from Rhode Island, which had been rapidly filling up for forty years.

In 1682, Little Compton became an organized township, the records of whose meetings are still preserved. The preponderance of Massachusetts settlers brought into existence a Congregational Church, and the proprietors granted one thirty-secondth of the township to the exclusive use of the ministry, but Rhode Island influence was shown by the vote that a minister be called "provided that he be content with voluntary offerings and the product of his land, without a rate or tax upon the people," thus comparatively separating Church from State.

The soil was fertile, the location beautiful, and Little Compton was known as the land of stone walls built by Indians, and with windmills on every eminence.

Among those attracted to Little Compton, was Thomas Brownell of Portsmouth, third son of Thomas Brownell the immigrant. His

wife, Mary Pearce, was the daughter of Richard Pearce of Portsmouth, who belonged to the twentieth generation of the Percy family of Northumberland England. (??; no - questions)

Thomas Brownell held no public office, but he gathered the largest fortune, one thousand pounds in bonds, of any of the sons of Thomas Brownell the immigrant. Whether he made it by buying and selling land, or by means of his well stocked farm, is not known. Following the English law of primogeniture, his eldest son received the chief inheritance of land. An Englishman's weapon was the sword, found among his effects, while the chest of shoemaker's tools, suggest the means of earning a livelihood, supplied him in his youth. His two negro slaves were willed to his wife, with forty pounds per year, a home, etc.

It is stated that the Percy family of Northumberland, England, mentioned by Mrs. Bready, were originally of French stock from Percie a small place in France. Recently the statement has been made in print that "Richard Pearce was the son of Jeremiah the younger brother of Captain William Pearce or Pierce." It seems very probable that this is true, for Mary, his daughter, gave the name to her son and it was handed down for several generations and was perpetuated even in Nova Scotia. no!

ROBERT BROWNELL.

(17).

Robert Brownell, son of Thomas and Ann Brownell, born 1652; died July 22, 1728; married Mary (surname unknown), and had six children. THOMAS, born 1687. ANNA, born January 27, 1690. BENJAMIN, born April 11, 1697; married Hannah Manchester. PATIENCE. MARGARET. MARY.

He became a Freeman in 1673. In June, 1689, he was a Selectman of Little Compton, R. I. On December 25, 1689, he became Ensign. He and his wife Mary, sold his sister Martha Wait, of Portsmouth, R. I., thirty acres of land in Little Compton, for twenty pounds, on March 8, 1690.

His will was dated January 29, 1718 and was proven August 20, 1728. Executrix, wife Mary; overseers, Thomas Brownell, Jr., and Joseph Wilbur, Jr. "To son Thomas, land on west side of highway where I live, and forty-two acres of other land; to son

Benjamin, all housing and land where I live, east of highway, only wife to have one room in the house and income of half the lands, with firewood provided by son Benjamin; to son Benjamin, half of all stock, he paying legacies; to daughter Mary's three children, five pounds each; to three daughters Patience, Margaret and Anna, ten pounds each; to grandson Wilbur, five pounds; to wife Mary, the other half of stock, and all household goods for life, and at her death to be divided to daughters."

Inventory, two hundred and fifty-five pounds, eighteen shillings and six pence, viz: two beds, wearing apparel, broadsword, cheese-press, eighteen sheep, eleven lambs, pair of oxen, two cows, bull, heifer, two calves, colt, young horse, mare, five swine, churn, etc.

ANN BROWNELL WILBUR.

(18).

Ann Brownell, daughter of Thomas and Ann Brownell, born 1654; died April 2, 1747; married Joseph Wilbur, who died May 4, 1729, and had ten children. MARTHA, born August 20, 1684; married Timothy Closson. ANN, born May 8, 1686; married George Wood. WILLIAM, born March 25, 1688; died, April 7, 1775; married Jane Crandall. JOSEPH, born December 30, 1689; died May, 1754; married Emeline Champlain. JOHN, born December 15, 1691. THOMAS, born January 14, 1694; died September, 1783; married Susanna Irish, (2) Susanna Carr. MARY, born January 4, 1696; married William Eldridge. BENJAMIN, born June 20, 1699; married Deborah Gifford. STEPHEN, born March 22, 1701; married Priscilla Irish. ABIGAIL, born August 21, 1703; married Jonathan Hilliard. (2) Joseph Rathbone.

Her husband Joseph Wilbur, made a will dated June 11, 1728, which was proven June 5, 1729, with his son Joseph Wilbur as executor, which read as follows: "to wife Ann, all household stuff, money, debts, etc., improvements of big room for life ten pounds per annum paid by son Thomas Wilbur, victuals and drink provided by said son and ten cords of firewood provided yearly by son Joseph; to son William, certain land and building, he paying legacies of one hundred pounds; to son Joseph, certain land and buildings, he paying legacies of eighty pounds; to son John, twenty-five acres of land; to son Thomas, land and my dwelling house, etc., benefit of certain stock of creatures while wife lives, which then go equally to children;

to son Benjamin, five shillings; to son Stephen, five shillings; to daughter Ann Wood, fifty pounds; to daughters Mary Eldridge and Abigail Wilbur, fifty pounds; to grandson Joseph Closson, fifteen acres of land, forty pounds and a cow; to grandson Timothy Closson, twenty acres of land, forty pounds and a cow; to son-in-law Thomas Burgess, five shillings; to nine children the rest of estate."

Inventory, six hundred and forty-three pounds, five shillings and three pence, viz: wearing apparel, books, thirty shillings; beds, pewter, pair of cards, seventy sheep, twenty-four lambs, three mares, two colts, ten cows, two oxen, two heifers, three two-year olds, three yearlings, five hogs, three hives of bees, cider-mill.

Her will dated December 12, 1739, was proven April 7, 1747, with her son Joseph as executor. She willed "to six sons William, Joseph, John, Thomas, Benjamin and Stephen, five shillings, each; to daughter Ann, wife of George Wood, fifty pounds, feather bed and pair of blankets; to daughter Mary Eldridge, widow of William, bond for fifty-one pounds; to daughter Abigail, wife of Joseph Rathbone, sixty pounds; to grandsons Joseph and Timothy Closson, ten shillings each; to five grandchildren, Joseph, John, Thomas and Jacob Burgess and Mary Wood, wife of John Wood, five shillings each; the rest of estate to go to grand-children, but none to great-grandchildren. Inventory, two hundred and seventy-one pounds, eleven shillings and eight pence."

THOMAS HAZARD.

(111).

Thomas Hazard, son of Robert and Mary Brownell Hazard, born 1660; died November, 1746; married Susanna (surname unknown), died 1746, and had ten children. MARY, born October 3, 1683. HANNAH, born April 14, 1685. SARAH, born July 15, 1687. ROBERT, born May 23, 1689. THOMAS, born May 11, 1691. STEPHEN, born June 13, 1693. JEREMIAH, born June 5, 1697. GEORGE, born January 18, 1699. BENJAMIN, born November 2, 1702. JONATHAN, born October 1, 1704.

On March 23, 1738, he testified calling himself aged 78 year and upwards, that his father was formerly a surveyor and was employed by the purchasers of Pallaquanscott, etc.

His will, dated November 12, 1746, was proven November 27 1746, his son Robert was appointed executor. He willed "to son

Our descent is through Lt George Brownell, son of

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HUSBAND: Richard BOURNE

BORN: PLACE: LDS ORDINANCE DATA
 CHR.: 18 Jun 1564 PLACE: St. Michael, Cornhill, London, Eng. B: 12 Nov 1940
 DIED: 11 Mar 1632 PLACE: E: 9 Apr 1941
 BUR.: PLACE: SP: 30 Sep 1959
 MAR.: PLACE: SS: 6 May 1957 SL

FATHER: William BOURNE
 MOTHER: Margaret RYSE
 OTHER WIVES:

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WIFE: Judith COWPER

BORN: Abt 1568 PLACE: St. Michaels, Cornhill, , Eng. B: 12 Nov 1940
 CHR.: PLACE:
 DIED: PLACE:
 BUR.: PLACE:
 FATHER: John COWPER
 MOTHER: Elizabeth IRONSIDES
 OTHER HUSBANDS:

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Sex CHILDREN

1. NAME: Elizabeth BOURNE
 --- BORN: PLACE:
 F CHR.: 15 Jul 1600 PLACE: St. Michaels, Cornhill, Lon
 DIED: PLACE:
 BUR.: PLACE:
 SPOUSE:
 MAR.: PLACE:

5. NAME: Katherine BOURNE
 --- BORN: PLACE:
 F CHR.: 9 Sep 1604 PLACE: "
 DIED: PLACE:
 BUR.: PLACE:
 SPOUSE:
 MAR.: PLACE:

2. NAME: William BOURNE
 --- BORN: PLACE:
 M CHR.: 12 Jul 1601 PLACE: "
 DIED: PLACE:
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 SPOUSE:
 MAR.: PLACE:

6. NAME: Susan BOURNE
 --- BORN: PLACE:
 F CHR.: 6 Oct 1605 PLACE: "
 DIED: PLACE:
 BUR.: PLACE:
 SPOUSE:
 MAR.: PLACE:

3. NAME: Richard BOURNE
 --- BORN: PLACE:
 M CHR.: 11 Jul 1602 PLACE: "
 DIED: PLACE:
 BUR.: PLACE:
 SPOUSE:
 MAR.: PLACE:

7. NAME: Robert BOURNE
 --- BORN: PLACE:
 M CHR.: 21 Apr 1613 PLACE: "
 DIED: PLACE:
 BUR.: PLACE:
 SPOUSE:
 MAR.: PLACE:

4. NAME: Judith BOURNE
 --- BORN: PLACE:
 F CHR.: 24 Jul 1603 PLACE: Of Bobbington, Essex, Eng.
 DIED: PLACE:
 BUR.: PLACE:
 SPOUSE:
 MAR.: PLACE:

1 ✓ 9. NAME: Ann BOURNE
 --- BORN: 1616 PLACE: Of London, London, England
 F CHR.: 15 Feb 1606 PLACE: St. Michael, Cornhill, London, Eng
 DIED: 1665 PLACE: Portsmouth, Newport, RI
 BUR.: PLACE:
 SPOUSE: Thomas BROWNELL
 MAR.: 20 Mar 1638 PLACE: St. Benet, London, London, England

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Codes: AFN=Ancestral File Number

B=Baptized

E=Endowed

SS=Sealed to Spouse

SP=Sealed to Parents



The Town Reservoir in Portsmouth, Rhode Island

When Thomas (1) came to Portsmouth, R.I. he was given a land grant of 40 acres, described in the grant as swampy land. The town reservoir now takes up part of this land. He also bought an additional 40 acres of higher land adjoining this property.



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The Brownell House, Little Compton, R.I.

In 1914 Mr. Edmund Brownell Weston offered the house that belonged to his mother and aunt, Deborah and Eliza Brownell, to the Village Improvement Society to be used for the general good and benefit of the people of Little Compton.

Groups of every kind have met at the Brownell House. The Little Compton Historical Society started there, young people's organizations met in the building, Miss Bessie Gray left money to fit the north room for the Public health Nurse. The high school once conducted home economic classes at Brownell House. Lessons, lectures, exhibits, and clinics have been held there.

Fund raising activities to keep up the building included bridge parties, lobster suppers, clam bakes, and barbecues. The annual barbecue, now the main fund raiser, was started in 1954 to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the Rhode Island hen which was developed by Mr. William Tripp in Little Compton, Rhode Island in 1854.

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PEDIGREE CHART

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				Robert P. Brownell	32	Thomas BROWNELL-----
				16 Rowland BROWNELL		
				BORN: 1678		33 GILBERTHOYSE OR GILBERTHORP
				DIED:		
				8 Thomas BROWNELL-----		
				BORN: 1615		34 -----
				Of London, L., England		35 -----
				MAR.: 20 Mar 1638		
				St. Benet, L., England		
				DIED: 24 Sep 1665		
				Portsmouth, N, RI		
						36 William BOURNE-----
				18 Richard BOURNE-----		
				BORN: 18 Jun 1584		37 Margaret RYSE-----
				DIED: 11 Mar 1632		
				9 Ann BOURNE-----		
				BORN: 1616		38 John COWPER-----
				Of London, L., England		
				DIED: 1665		39 Elizabeth IRONSIDES-----
				Portsmouth, N, RI		
				19 Judith COWPER-----		
				BORN: Abt 1568		
				DIED:		
				20 Richard PEARCE-----		40 Richard PEARCE-----
				BORN: 1590		41 Mrs-----
				DIED: 7 Oct 1666		
				10 Richard PEARCE-----		
				BORN: 1615		42 -----
				Of Bristol Somerset, E		
				MAR.: 5 May 1642		43 -----
				W., England		
				DIED: 1678		
				Portsmouth, N, RI		
				5 Mary PEARCE-----		
				BORN: 6 May 1654		44 John WRIGHT-----
				Portsmouth, N, RI		
				DIED: 4 May 1736		45 Bennett GREENE-----
				Portsmouth, N, RI		
				11 Susannah WRIGHT-----		
				BORN: 1620		46 Ralph DELL-----
				England		
				DIED: Bef 1678		47 Mrs. Ralph (DELL)-----
				1 Mary BROWNELL-----		
				BORN: 9 Nov 1709		
				MAR.: 31 Aug 1727		
				DIED: 6 Oct 1791		
				SPOUSE		
				Joseph WOOD		
				BORN: [1709]		
				6 Jonathan THURSTON-----		
				BORN: [1659]		
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				3 Mary THURSTON-----		
				BORN: 20 Mar 1685		
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6	BROWNELL William, and Sarah Smitton, — —, 1672.
6	" George, and Sarah Pearce, Dec. 4, 1671.
6	" Thomas, and Mary Pearce, — —, 1678.
3	" Anna, and Joseph Wilbor, — —, 1683.
15, 164	" Martha, and Jonathan Troop, Aug. 22, 1685.
164	" Mercy, and William Congdon, March 3, 1688.
83, 164	" Thomas, and Esther Taber; m. by Joseph Church, Justice, Nov. 15, 1688.
34	" William, and Lydia — —, — —, 1704.
85	" George, and Mary (Thurston), July 6, 1703.
87	" Thomas, and Grace — —, — —, 1707.
86, 165	" Jeremiah, and Deborah Burgess; m. by Richard Billings, Justice, Nov. 6, 1712.
85	" Thomas, and Mary Crandall — —, 1714.
85, 166	" John, and Mary Carr; m. by Richard Billings, Dec. 20, 1715.

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84, 166	BROWNELL Mary, and Paek Carr, April 3, 1717.
85, 166	" Charles, and Mary Wilbor, July 6, 1717.
75, 167	" Anna, and William Joy, July 4, 1720.
87, 167	" Benjamin, and Hannah Manchester; m. by Richard Billings, Justice, Dec. 27, 1721.
167	" Deborah, and Cyrus Tinsman, April 27, 1722.
168	" Phoebe, and Philip Taber, Oct. 1, 1724.
95, 168	" Giles, and Elizabeth Shaw; m. by Sylvester Richmond, Justice, Int., Dec. 25, 1725; m. May 19, 1736.
42, 169	" Mary, and Joseph Wood, Int., Aug. 12; m. — 31, 1729.
153, 171	" John, of Little Compton, and Mary Borden, of Rhode Island Int., April 3, 1730; m. same year.
95, 173	" George, Jr., and Sarah Bailey; m. by Richard Billings, Justice, Int., Sept. 11; m. Oct. 21, 1731.
67, 173	" Bridget, and Benjamin Shrieve, Int., Dec. 18, 1731; m. Jan. 13, 1732.
172	" Ichabod, and Rebecca Devel; m. by Richard Billings, Justice, Feb. 21, 1733.
173	" John, and Mary Thurston; m. by Richard Billings, Justice, Int., June 10; m. July 2, 1733.
173	" Thomas, and Mary Blackman; m. by Sylvester Richmond, Justice, Int., Dec. 30, 1733; m. Jan. 16, 1734.
121, 174	" Sarah, and Samuel Irish, Int. Feb. 8; m. March 5, 1735.
33, 175	" Mary, and Isaac Wilbor, Int., Jan. 24; m. March 10, 1736.
71, 176	" Elizabeth, and Israel Stoddard, Int., March 12; m. 21, 1737.
177	" Jeremiah, Jr., and Ruth Irish; m. by Thomas Church, Justice, Int., Nov. 17; m. Dec. 17, 1738; m. Dec. 17, 1738.
96, 177	" Mary, and Peleg Simmons, Int., Nov. 17; m. Dec. 19, 1739.
96, 177	" Pearce, and Ruth Thurston; m. by Sylvester Richmond, Justice, Int., Oct. 13, 1739; m. Feb. 7, 1740.
94, 178	" Richard, and Mary Wilbor; m. by Thomas Church, Justice, Int., Jan. 24; m. Feb. 24, 1741.
97, 179	" Samuel, of Little Compton, and Anna Cook, of Tiverton, Int., Sept. 5, 1741; m. same month.
95, 179	" Jonathan, and Elizabeth Richmond; m. by Richard Billings, Justice, Int., Dec. 19, 1741; m. Jan. 14, 1742.
179	" Thomas, and Eunice Taylor, Int., Sept. 18, 1742.
179	" Charles, of Little Compton, and Mary Wood, of Dartmouth, Mass., Int., Feb. 19, 1743.
180	" Mary, and John Manchester, Int., Nov. 19, 1743.
117, 180	" Susanna, and William Shaw, Jr., Int., Nov. 26; m. Dec. 22, 1743.
181	" Aaron, and Alice Southworth, Int., Feb. 23, 1745.
181	" George, and Comfort Taylor; m. by William Hall, Justice, Int., March 1; m. April 18, 1745.
181	" Sarah, and Thomas Brownell, Int., March 2; m. — 23, 1745.
181	" Thomas, and Sarah Brownell; m. by William Richmond, Justice, Int., March 2; m. — 28, 1745.
97	" Aaron, and Alice Southworth, March —, 1745.
96	" George, and Comfort Taylor, April 15, 1745.
181	" Paul, of Little Compton, and Deborah Dennis, of Tiverton; m. by William Hall, Justice, Int., Jan. 4; m. — 6, 1745.
181	" Ruth, and Abner White, Int., Feb. 23; m. April 14, 1746.
182	" Joseph, of Little Compton, and Elizabeth Crandall, of South Kingstown, Int., Aug. 30, 1746.
96, 182	" Stephen, and Edith Wilbor; m. by Richard Billings, Justice, Jan. 8, 1747.
96, 182	" Job, and Ruth Manchester; m. by Samuel Wilbor, Justice, June 25, 1747.
97, 183	" David, and Grace Church; m. by Joseph Wood, Justice, Oct. 23, 1748.
183	" Esther, and Samuel Howland, Oct. 27, 1748.
98	" Joseph, and Elizabeth — —, — —, 1748.
184	" William, of Dartmouth, and Phillis Pearce, of Little Compton; m. by Joseph Wood, Justice, Feb. 15, 1750.
97, 184	" Joshua, and Martha Peckham; m. by Joseph Wood, Justice, May 17, 1750.

1-32	BROWNELL Susanna W., of George and Susanna W., Jan. 28, 1675.
1-32	" Sarah, June 14, 1681.
1-32	" Mary, Dec. 5, 1683.
1-32	" Martha, Feb. 18, 1685.
1-32	" Thomas, June 1, 1688.
1-32	" Joseph, Dec. 5, 1690.
1-32	" Wait, Oct. 1, 1693.
1-32	" Stephen, Dec. 3, 1695.
1-32	" George, above, born — —, 1646.
1-32	" Thomas, Jr., born — —, 1650.
1-32	" Thomas, Jr., of Thomas and Mary (Pearce), Feb. 18, 1679.
1-32	" John, Feb. 21, 1682.
1-32	" John, d. — —, 1709.
1-32	" George, Jan. 19, 1685.
1-32	" Jeremiah, Oct. 10, 1689.
1-32	" Jeremiah, d. — —, 1758.
1-32	" Mary, March 22, 1692.
1-32	" Mary, d. — —, 1717.
1-32	" Charles, Dec. 23, 1694.
1-32	" Charles, d. — —, 1774.
1-51	" Samuel, of Abraham and Mary, Feb. 4, 1747-8.

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- 3-113 BROWNELL George, and Susannah W. Pearce, Dec. 4, 1673.
 3-113 " Thomas, and Mary Pearce, —, 1678.
 3-110 " Martha, and Jonathan Troop, Aug. 22, 1695.
 3-112 " Thomas, and Esther Taber, May —, 1698.
 3-110 " Mary, and William Congdill, March 3, 1698.
 3-112 " George, and Mary Thurston, —, 1706.
 3-112 " Jeremiah, and Deborah Burges, Nov. 6, 1712.
 3-112 " Thomas, and Mary Cranhall, Dec. 15, 1714.
 3-112 " John, and Mary Carr, Dec. 20, 1715.
 3-111 " Mary, and Esck Carr, April 3, 1717.
 3-112 " Charles, and Mary Wilbourn, July 6, 1717.
 3-101 " Phebe, and Phillip Taber, Oct. 1, 1724.
 2-180 " Rejoice, and Benjamin Macomber (also 3-102); (Int.) April 18, 1730; m. May 25, 1730.
 3-111 " Bridget, and Benjamin Shrieves, Jan. 13, 1732.
 3-112 " Jonathan, and Elizabeth Elchmond, Jan. 14, 1742.
 2-175 " Paul, of Little Compton, and Deborah Dennis, of Tiverton; (Int.) Jan. 8, 1745-6.
 3-109 " Joseph, and Elizabeth Crandall; m. by Rev. William Billings, Aug. 30, 1746.

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VITAL RECORD OF RHODE ISLAND.

- 2-15 BROWNELL Abraham, and Mary Hicks; m. by Samuel Durfee, Justice, March 20, 1747.
 8-112 " Job, and Ruth Manchester, June 25, 1747.
 2-18 " Tabitha, and Joseph Lake, March 1, 1749-50.
 2-22 " Judith, and Ephraim Potter, Oct. 26, 1752.
 2-34 " John, of Little Compton, and Susannah Borden of Tiverton; m. by Samuel Hicks, Justice, Nov. 15, 1753.
 2-23 " Phebe, and Daniel Deval, Dec. 15, 1754.
 2-34 " Benjamin, and Rebecca Durfee; m. by Samuel Hicks, Justice, March 14, 1756.
 2-28 " Sarah, and William Macomber, March 23, 1760.
 2-35 " Mercy, and Joseph Cunnell, Oct. 23, 1760.
 2-31 " Mercy, and Eber Crandall, Sept. 10, 1761.
 2-41 " Patience, and Jacob Chase, 2d., May 27, 1762.
 2-51 " Elizabeth, and Joseph Manchester, Feb. 13, 1765.
 2-85 " Comfort, and Abner Wilcox, Nov. 17, 1770.
 2-88 " Isrent, of Giles, dec., and Rachel Potter, of Dartmouth, widow, dau. of John Simmons; m. by Walter Cook, Justice, April —, 1780.
 2-87 " Ruth, and George Cook, —, 1780.
 5-18 " Capt. Pardon, of Little Compton, and Abby White, of Tiverton; m. by Rev. Jonathan King, Oct. 28, 1830.
 5-57 " William, and Eliza Harden; m. by Rev. J. Kelly, May 19, 1846.
 5-62 " Esck M., of Gileon, and Elizabeth L. Estes, of Job; m. by Rev. Jared Reed, Oct. 13, 1847.
 5-67 " Esther F., and William M. Cook, Jan. 12, 1840.
 5-74 " Gideon E., of Tiverton, son of Edward and Rebecca, and Ann Martha Lake, of Tiverton, dau. of Hiram and Betsey; m. by Rev. Jared Reed, Nov. 23, 1849.
 5-62 " George, of New Bedford, of Peleg B., and Hannah G., and Harriet Amanda Thatcher, of New Bedford, dau. of Lewis P. and Eliza; m. Rev. Jared Reed, Feb. 3, 1850.

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VITAL RECORD OF RHODE ISLAND.

- 5-72 HAMER Elizabeth M., and Richard Haughton, July 12, 1840.
 5-89 HAMMOND Deborah, and Sylvanus Westgate, Jan. 11, 1780.
 2-7 HAMMON Thomas, of Dartmouth, and Esther Howard, of Rochester; m. by Job Almy, Justice, Jan. 31, 1719-20.
 2-20 HARRISON Francis, and Ruth Andrews, both of Portsmouth; m. by Joseph Anthony, Justice, Feb. 12, 1730.
 5-24 " John, of New Bedford, and Lucy Wood, of do.; m. by Asa Gray, Justice, Oct. 21, 1832.
 5-88 " Lemuel, of William, and Catherine Gardner, of Samuel B.; m. by Rev. J. Kelly, Sept. 6, 1841.
 ✓ 3-113 HART Alice, and George Parson, —, 1687;
 3-63 " Richard, and —, —, 1693.
 3-63 " Nicholas, and —, —, 1699.
 3-63 " Samuel, and Martha Troop, March 29, 1705.
 3-114 " Richard, and Amy Gibbs, —, 1709.
 3-109 " Abigail, and Daniel Ladd, May 7, 1712.
 3-111 " Alice, and Neham Coson, March 10, 1715, March 16, 1715.
 3-109 " Sarah, and Daniel Wilcox, Feb. 21, 1723.
 3-63, 114 " Edward, Jr., and Mary Taber, Feb. 4, 1725.
 2-177 " Samuel, Jr., of Tiverton, and Priscilla Richmond, of Little Compton (Int.) March 2; m. by Thomas Church, Justice, March 19, 1733.
 3-109 " Samuel, of Tiverton, and Patience Richmond, of Little Compton; (Int.) March 2, 1733-4.
 2-177 " Jonathan, and Mercy Tripp; (Int.) March 16, 1733; m. March 26, 1733.
 3-114 " Stephen, and Sarah Taber, May 6, 1736.
 3-110 " Hannah, and Jabez Wilcox, May 10, 1736.
 3-63 " Stephen, and Sarah Taber, prob. 1738.
 2-28 " Constant, of Little Compton, and Deborah Sanford of Tiverton; m. by Restcome Sanford, Justice, Feb. 4, 1760.
 2-23 " Necklace, of Little Compton, and Mary Manchester of Tiverton; m. by Restcome Sanford, Justice, March 13, 1760.
 2-36 " Martha, and Thomas Simmons, Feb. 25, 1761.
 2-36 " Capt. Richard, of Little Compton, and Abigail Taber, of Tiverton; m. by Restcome Sanford, Justice, Oct. 18, 1761.
 2-42 " Susannah, and Philip Macomber, Jr., May 27, 1762.
 2-55 " Joseph, of Sudon and Mary Jewell, of Joshua; m. by Restcome Sanford, Justice, Aug. 23, 1767.
 2-63 " Aise, and Enoch Fish, July 2, 1770.
 2-69 " Joseph, of Little Compton, son of Stephen, and Amca Taber, of Tiverton, dau. of John; m. by Walter Cook, Justice, Dec. 19, 1772.
 2-79 " Rebecca, and Izreal Luther, Dec. 23, 1773.
 2-80 " Sarah, and Ephraim Taber, June —, 1775.
 2-81 " Eber, of William, of Tiverton, and Alice Deval, of William, dec., of Dartmouth; m. by Walter Cook, Justice, Dec. 20, 1778.
 2-95 " Mary, and Abraham Hiles, Dec. —, 1781.
 2-117 " Hannah, and Gidree Lake, April 13, 1781.
 2-125 " Barsheba, and Daniel Dwyer, Oct. 28, 1798.
 2-132 " Mary, and Jeremiah Lake, (also 136) Oct. 13, 1800; Oct. 30, 1800.
 2-130 " Lewis, of Constant and Deborah, and Mary Taber, of Moses and Jane; m. by Lemuel Taber, Justice, Jan. 1, 1801.
 5-20 " Jonathan, of Isaac and Deborah, and Maria Hart, of Ichabod and Mary; m. by Rev. Jonathan King, March 15, 1829.
 5-20 " Martha, and Jonathan Hart, March 15, 1829.
 5-21 " Ruth, and Timothy Leary, July 10, 1831.
 5-28 " Betsey, and Oliver Wilcox, Sept. 13, 1835.

- 184 BROWNELL Joseph, and Anna Hix, both of Dartmouth; m. by Samuel Wil-
son, Justice, May 10, 1751.
- 155, 184 " Martha, and Daniel Ormsby, Sept. 19, 1751.
- 72, 185 " Phoebe, and Benjamin Stoddard, Oct. 5, 1752.
- 106, 185 " Mary, and Gideon Taylor, Jan. 18, 1754.
- 186 " Margaret, and Chauncy Patten, July 23, 1754.
- 97 " John, and Susanna (Rowen), —, 1754.
- 180 " Phoebe, and Benjamin Mowday, May 25, 1755.
- 154, 187 " Dorothy, and James Burgess, April 25, 1757.
- 142, 191 " Samuel, of George and Sarah, of Dartmouth, Mass., and Ruth
Lawrence, of William and Abigail of Little Compton; m. by Rev.
Jonathan Ellis, Oct. 23, 1764.
- 188 " Susannah, and David Irish, Nov. 27, 1763.
- 143, 195 " Pardon, of Jonathan and Elizabeth, and Prudence Shaw, of Jere-
miah and Phoebe; m. by Rev. Jonathan Ellis, Feb. 22, 1765.
- 146 " Mary, and Cornelius Briggs, —, 1765.
- 142, 195 " Joseph, of Giles and Elizabeth, and Deborah Briggs, of Joseph and
Ruth; m. by Rev. Jonathan Ellis, Feb. 11, 1766.
- 102, 189 " Hope, and Rebecka Palmer, June 16, 1766.
- 159 " Elizabeth, and Richard Wood, —, 1769.
- 98, 191 " Charles, of Charles, and Concord Shaw, of Israel; m. by Aaron
Willow, Justice, Feb. 22, 1770.
- 142, 194 " George, of George and Sarah, and Lucy Richmond, of Perez and
Deborah; m. by Rev. Jonathan Ellis, June 17, 1770.
- 159, 192 " Phoebe, and Sarah Simmons, Nov. 1, 1770.
- 193 " Stephen, of Joseph, and Margaret Church, of Joseph; m. by Aaron
Willow, Justice, Jan. 31, 1771.
- 96 " Stephen, and Mary Eldredge, Feb. 1, 1771.
- 143, 193 " William, of Stephen, and Edith, dec., and Elizabeth Pearce, of
Giles and Mary; m. by Rev. Jonathan Ellis, Feb. 14, 1771.
- 193 " Stephen, of Little Compton, son of George, dec., of Dartmouth,
Mass., and Mary Eldredge, of Dartmouth, dau. of William, dec.,
of North Kingston; m. by Aaron Willow, Justice, Feb. 21, 1771.
- 193 " Margaret, and James Manchester, April 7, 1771.
- 197 " Presella, and Charles Manchester, Sept. 9, 1773.
- 144, 196 " James, of Samuel and Anna, and Mary Hubbard, of David and Ann
Mercy; m. by Rev. Jonathan Ellis, Oct. 14, 1773.
- 151, 197 " Abigail, and Reuben Wood, Dec. 30, 1773.
- 198 " Liza, and Seth Church, April 21, 1774.
- 100 " Ruth, and Walter Palmer, —, 1774.
- 202 " Gideon, of Pearce and Ruth, and Phoebe Brown, of Robert and
Elizabeth; m. by Rev. Jonathan Ellis, March 24, 1776.
- 201 " Edith, and William Earl, May 9, 1776.
- 202 " Mary, and John Potter, Oct. 2, 1776.
- 146, 203 " Mary, and Rease Pearce, Dec. 16, 1776.
- 143, 205 " William, of Stephen, and Emily Palmer, of Sylvester; m. by Enos
Gifford, Justice, Jan. 8, 1778.
- 205 " James, of Richard, of Little Compton, and Hannah Manchester, of
Dartmouth, dau. of Thomas; m. by Enos Gifford, Justice, Jan.
22, 1778.
- 4-40 " Sylvester, and Mercy Church, July 11, 1778.
- 2- " Judith, and William Records, Dec. 12, 1779.
- 2-90 " Lydia, and Samuel Wilbur, Jan. 14, 1779.
- 2- " Esther, and Lawrence Mabeck, Oct. 30, 1779.
- 2- " George, of Stephen and Elizabeth, and Elizabeth Peckham, of
John and Mary; m. by Adam Simmons, Justice, March 26,
1780.
- 2- " Susannah, and Gamaliel Head, Aug. 31, 1780.
- 2- " Precilla, and William Woodman, Aug. 4, 1782.
- 90 " Ruth, and Joseph Wilbur, —, 1782.
- 2- " Gardiner, of William, and Ruth Palmer, of Phoebe; m. by Enos Gif-
ford, Justice, Jan. 11, 1784.
- 2- " Jonathan, of William, of Little Compton, and Dorcas Manchester,
of Dartmouth, dau. of Thomas; m. by Enos Gifford, Justice,
Jan. 20, 1784.
- 2- BROWNELL Stephen, of Stephen and Eley, and Cynthia Wilbur, of Phoebe;
m. by Rev. Jonathan Ellis, May 2, 1784.
- 2- " Lucy, and Gilbert Tompkins, July 4, 1784.
- 2- " Merleah, and Sylvester Woodman, March 16, 1780.
- 2- " Benjamin, of Pardon and Prudence, and Mary Grinnell, of William
and —, both dec.; m. by Adam Simmons, Justice, Nov. 12,
1780.
- 143, 2- " William, of Stephen and Edith, both dec., and Betsey Grinnell,
of Daniel and Grace; m. by Adam Simmons, Justice, Nov. 19,
1780.
- 2- " Susannah, and Nathaniel Dring, Dec. 24, 1780.
- 2- " Mary, and Gilbert Tompkins, Feb. 5, 1780.
- 145, 2-08 " Nathaniel, of George and Sarah, dec., of Westport, and Sarah
Tompkins, of Michael, dec., and Sarah; m. by Rev. Mase Shep-
herd, March 25, 1790.
- 2- " Cynthia, and Gideon Tompkins, June 2, 1791.
- 2- " Jonathan, of Pardon and Prudence, of Westport, and Mary Briggs,
of Cornelius and Mary, dec., of Little Compton; m. by Rev.
Mase Shepherd, Dec. 25, 1791.
- 2-30 " Gamaliel, of Ruth, of Westport, and Mary Gifford, of Enos and
Mary, of Little Compton; m. by Rev. Mase Shepherd, Sept. 23,
1792.
- 147, 2-30 " Falloe, and Capt. Cornelius Briggs, Dec. 9, 1792.
- 2-33 " Anna, and Samuel Darfee, June 11, 1793.
- 2-31 " Rhoda, and Thomas Gray, March 3, 1790.
- 2-40 " Mary, and John Taber, Jan. 7, 1790.
- 2-31 " Elizabeth, and Abrahim Brown, Jan. 15, 1797.
- 2-33 " Anna, and Henry Cluice, Dec. 2, 1798.
- 2-43 " Edmund, of Pardon, dec., and Prudence, and Polly Bailey, of
Ephraim and Mary; m. by Rev. Mase Shepherd, Feb. 9, 1800.
- 2-35 " Henry, of Gideon and Phoebe, and Ruth Shaw, of Peter, dec., and
Lydia; m. by Rev. Mase Shepherd, Feb. 9, 1800.
- 2-36 " Isaac, of Joseph and Deborah, and Presella Tompkins, of Gamaliel
and Mary; m. by Rev. Mase Shepherd, May 4, 1800.
- 2-56 " Isaac, of William and Elizabeth, dec., of Little Compton, and Re-
becka Wood, of Abner and Mary, of Tiverton; m. by Lemuel Ta-
ber, Justice, Sept. 23, 1800.
- 2-41 " Edmund, of Pardon, dec., and Prudence, and Presella Briggs, of Job
and Sarah; m. by Rev. Mase Shepherd, Oct. 18, 1801.
- 2-39 " Elizabeth, and Samuel Church, June 5, 1800.
- 2-41 " Stephen, of Stephen, and Mary Coggeshall, of Daniel; m. by Enos
Gifford, Justice, Dec. 11, 1803.
- 2-44 " Rhoda, and Christopher Taber, Feb. 25, 1805.
- 2-48 " Elias, of James and Hannah, and Hannah Palmer, of Joseph, dec.,
and Hannah; m. by Rev. Mase Shepherd, June 2, 1805.
- 2-48 " Christopher, of James and Hannah, and Sarah Taylor, of Jonathan
and Martha; m. by Rev. Mase Shepherd, Jan. 11, 1808.
- 2-47 " Polly, and Isiah Chapp, Dec. 15, 1808.
- 4-40 " Mary, and Joseph Cund-H Snell, about 1809.
- 2-80 " Nathan Clary, of Westport, son of Abner, and Hannah Brown Wil-
bur, of Little Compton, dau. of Isaac; m. by Rev. Benjamin
Peckham, Jan. 1, 1810.
- 2-47 " Presella, and Cornelius Pearce, Dec. 10, 1810.
- 2-48 " Capt. Stephen, of Stephen and Margaret, and Abby Brown, of Wil-
liam and Abigail; m. by Rev. Mase Shepherd, Feb. 10, 1811.
- 2-80 " Sylvester, of Deacon Sylvester and Mary, of Westport, and Abby
Taylor, of Capt. Andrew and Henry, of Little Compton; m.
by Rev. Mase Shepherd, Sept. 20, 1811.
- 2-84 " Clarke, of William, dec., and Betsey, and Hannah Head, of Sam-
uel and Elizabeth; m. by Rev. Mase Shepherd, Nov. 5, 1812.
- 2-59 " Walter, of William, and Susanna Wilbur, of Thomas; m. at Tiver-
ton, by Rev. Benjamin Peckham, Dec. 24, 1812.
- 2-51 " Elizabeth, and Owen Grinnell, Jan. 11, 1814.
- 2-51 " Ezra, of George, and Lucy Wilbur, of Jonathan, of Little Com-
ton; m. by Rev. Benjamin Peckham, Feb. 8, 1814.

98	BROWNELL Hannah, of Joseph and Elizabeth,	July 16, 1751.
123	" John,	—
123	" Mary (Borden) his wife.	—
123	" Margaret, of John and Mary,	Oct. 25, 1733.
123	" Sarah,	May 30, 1737.
123	" Edward,	Oct. 11, 1740.
124	" Abigail,	Feb. 12, 1745.
124	" John,	March 4, 1750.
97	" David,	Nov. 29, 1755.
97	" Grace (Church), his wife,	Dec. 4, 1751.
97	" Deborah, of David and Grace,	Oct. 8, 1749.
98	" Job,	July —, 1717.
93	" Ruth (Manchester) his wife,	July 20, 1726.
98	" Susanna, of Job and Ruth,	Oct. 10, 1748.
98	" Robert,	April 7, 1750.
98	" Elizabeth,	April 6, 1753.
98	" Grace,	March 26, 1757.
98	" Thomas,	Jan. 6, 1760.
98	" Stephen,	Nov. 29, 1726.
96	" Edith (Wilbor) his wife,	April 22, 1727.
98	" Phebe, of Stephen and Edith,	Sept. 4, 1747.
98	" William,	July 17, 1749.
96	" William,	d. (— —, 1810.)
96	" Abigail,	March 15, 1751.
96	" Edith,	Nov. 2, 1752.
96	" Mary,	July 5, 1754.
96	" Mary,	d. April 6, 1854.
96	" George,	Oct. 20, 1756.
96	" Stephen,	March 18, 1762.
98	" Stephen, d. March 12, 1855.	—
98	" Mary (Eldredge), his 2d wife,	—
97	" Joshua, Dec. 18, 1727.	—
97	" Martha (Peckham), his wife, May 28, 1730.	—
97	" Elizabeth, of Joshua and Martha,	April 2, 1751.
97	" Lydia,	Feb. 2, 1753.
97	" Aaron,	Dec. 24, 1754.
97	" John, Oct. 10, 1729.	—
97	" Susanna (Bowen), his wife, —	—
97	" Patience, of John and Susanna,	March 25, 1755.
97	" Hannah,	March 28, 1757.
97	" Esther,	March 20, 1759.
97	" (Susan),	—
97	" (Merebah),	—
97	" (Sarah),	—
97	" (Anna),	—
97	" (Amey, twin),	—
97	" (John, twin),	—
97	" (Charles),	—
97	" (Isaac),	—
97	" (John),	—
97	" (Robert),	—
142	" Samuel, July 18, 1738.	—
142	" Ruth (Briggs), his wife, June 2, 1746.	—
142	" Lucy, of Samuel and Ruth,	Feb. 6, 1766.
142	" William,	April 12, 1768.
142	" Mary,	July 8, 1770.
144	" James, March 3, 1744.	—
144	" Mary (Hilliard), his wife, Oct. 17, 1752.	—
141	" Cook, of James and Mary,	Sept. 17, 1775.
144	" Lydia,	Aug. 7, 1779.
144	" Hannah,	July 23, 1785.
144	" Anna,	April 16, 1780.
142	" George, March 31, 1744.	—
142	" Lucy (Richmond), his wife, July 3, 1751.	—

142	BROWNELL Mary, of George and Lucy,	Feb. 16, 1773
142	" Israel Putnam,	May 1, 1776
142	" Parker,	Aug. 9, 1777
142	" Charlotte,	Oct. 11, 1779
142	" Richmond,	April 6, 1783
142	" Loring,	—, 1771.
142	" Joseph, July 15, 1744,	d. Feb. 24, 1824
142	" Deborah (Briggs), his wife, Sept. 23, 1748,	Sept. 23, 1840
142	" Cynthia, of Joseph and Deborah,	Dec. 14, 1769
142	" Cynthia,	d. Nov. 1, 1828
142	" Isaac,	April 17, 1772
142	" Toby,	April 1, 1774
142	" Toby,	d. Feb. 22, 1824
142	" Elizabeth,	Dec. 7, 1776
142	" Elizabeth, 2d,	Feb. 25, 1779
142	" Joseph,	March 6, 1781
142	" Deborah,	June 19, 1783
142	" Deborah,	d. June 23, 1843.
142	" Pardon,	April 3, 1785
142	" Pardon,	d. May 1, 1806
142	" Lydia,	March 15, 1787
142	" James,	March 3, 1789
142	" Mary,	(Jan. 19, 1792)
142	" Mary,	d. Sept. 19, 1826
98	" Charles,	April 13, 1715.
98	" Content (Shaw), his wife,	Feb. 6, 1751
98	" Thomas, of Charles and Content,	Jan. 2, 1771.
98	" Phebe,	Dec. 13, 1773
98	" Jediah,	Oct. 11, 1774.
98	" Elizabeth,	March 28, 1776
98	" Aaron,	Jan. 27, 1778
98	" Aaron, 2d,	March 27, 1779
98	" Ephraim,	June 4, 1783.
98	" Prescilla,	Dec. 18, 1787.
98	" Borden,	Nov. 18, 1789.
98	" Charles,	April 24, 1792.
143	" Pardon, July 15, 1745.	d. July 24, 1799.
143	" Prudence (Shaw), his wife, Sept. 15, 1744.	d. Jan. 9, 1824.
143	" Perez, of Pardon and Prudence,	June 20, 1795.
143	" Jonathan,	April 24, 1767
143	" Gilbert,	May 7, 1770
143	" Anna,	Nov. 29, 1772
143	" Edmund,	Nov. 7, 1773
143	" Edmund,	d. Feb. 1, 1840
143	" Thurston,	—
143	" Elizabeth,	—
143	" Lydia,	Nov. 16, 1789.
143	" Lydia,	d. July 6, 1832.
143	" William, July 17, 1749, died May —, 1810.	—
143	" Elizabeth (Pearce), his wife, Oct. 19, 1751.	—
143	" Edith, of William and Elizabeth,	—
143	" Isaac,	March 1, 1773.
143	" Eunice (Palmer), his 2d wife, 1756.	July 1, 1774.
143	" Elizabeth, of William, of Eunice,	Feb. 13, 1779.
143	" Sylvester,	July 31, 1782.
143	" Humphrey,	July 19, 1785.
143	" Humphrey,	d. Nov. 11, 1824.
143	" Betsey (Grinnell), 3d wife,	March —, 1754.
144	" Eunice, of William and Betsey,	Sept. 1, 1787.
144	" William,	March 23, 1789.
144	" Walter,	Sept. 3, 1790.
144	" Clarke,	Oct. 16, 1793.
144	" Betsey,	Dec. 16, 1795.
142	" Stephen,	Jan. 2, 1798.
142	" Nathaniel, Dec. 21, 1751, d. Dec. 30, 1825.	—

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142	BROWNELL Sarah (Tompkins), his wife, April 14, 1763, d. March 24, 1856.	
143	" Ormon, of Nathaniel and Sarah,	Sept. 27, 1790.
143	" Ormon,	d. April 25, 1851.
143	" Alfred,	Sept. 24, 1792.
143	" Clarinda,	May —, 1794.
143	" Clarinda,	d. Jan. 10, 1798.
143	" Mary,	Nov. 9, 1796.
143	" Samuel,	May 25, 1793.
143	" Samuel,	d. —, 1826.
143	" Clarke,	June 2, 1800.
143	" Clarke,	d. —, 1826.
143	" Lucy,	March 31, 1802.
143	" David,	Dec. 28, 1803.
440	" Sylvester (b. Westport), Nov. 20, 1787, died at Little Compton, March 21, 1840.	
440	" Mercy (Church), b. and d. in Little Compton, March 3, 1756, died March 31, 1837.	
440	" Their children all born in Westport.	
440	" Thomas Church, of Sylvester and Mercy,	Oct. 19, 1779.
440	" Thomas,	died Hartford, Conn., Jan. 13, 1865.
440	" Ruth,	Aug. 3, 1781.
440	" Ruth,	died in Little Compton, Jan. 29, 1811.
440	" Mercy,	July 23, 1783.
440	" Mercy,	died at Westport, June 22, 1860.
440	" Sylvester,	Aug. 12, 1785.
440	" Sylvester,	died at Providence, June 12, 1865.
440	" Pardon,	Jan. 13, 1789.
440	" Pardon,	died at Hartford, Conn., March 10, 1846.
440	" Richmond,	March 4, 1790.
440	" Richmond,	died at Providence, Oct. 29, 1866.
440	" Jonathan,	March 31, 1792.
440	" Jonathan,	died at Little Compton, Aug. 29, 1877.
440	" Lydia,	April 10, 1794.
440	" Lydia,	died at Hartford, Conn., Sept. 17, 1882.
440	" Prudence,	March 31, 1796.
440	" Prudence,	died at Adamsville, June 21, 1878.
440	" Elizabeth,	April 20, 1793.
440	" Elizabeth,	died May —, 1892.
440	" Mary,	Aug. 3, 1800.
440	" Mary,	died at Little Compton, Sept. 28, 1852.
273	" Gardner, of William, Nov. 11, 1758.	
273	" Stephen, Jr., of Stephen and Margaret, Aug. 19, 1778.	
273	" Abigail (—), wife of Stephen, Jr.	
273	" Harriet, of Stephen, Jr., and Abigail, Nov. 9, 1811.	
273	" son, of James and Hannah,	Nov. —, —.
273	" son,	June 9, —.
273	" son,	July 4, 1782.
273	" son,	Nov. 18, —.
273	" son,	May 21, —.
273	" son,	March 6, —.
273	" son,	—, —.
273	" Rhoda, of George and Elizabeth,	Jan. 6, 1781.
273	" Daniel,	March 14, 1782.
273	" Rachel,	Nov. 22, 1784.
273	" Mary,	July 29, 1786.
273	" L. usilla,	Oct. 22, 1788.
273	" Ezra,	Dec. 24, 1791.
273	" Nancy,	Aug. 31, 1793.
273	" Sarah,	Jan. 22, 1795.
273	" Peleg,	March 13, 1798.
273	" Cook,	Oct. 4, 1800.
273	" Elizabeth,	July 19, 1803.
273	" Alexander R., of James and Hannah	July 4, 1782.
273	" Lydia, of Jonathan and Dorcas,	March 8, 1784.

273	BROWNELL Thomas M., of Jonathan and Dorcas,	Oct. 29, 1786.
273	" Jonathan,	Dec. 9, 1786.
273	" James,	Aug. 15, 1792.
273	" Alice,	March 31, 1795.
273	" William,	Sept. 23, 1797.
440	" Jonathan (b. Westport), March 31, 1792, d. Aug. 27, 1877.	
440	" Elizabeth H. (Brownell, dau. of Davis Simmons), his wife (b. Newport), Sept. 21, 1796, d. May 4, 1862.	
440	" Maria Louisa, of Jonathan and Elizabeth H.,	Jan. 1, 1817.
440	" Maria Louisa,	d. Feb. 8, 1833.
440	" Walter Simmons,	Sept. 30, 1820.
440	" Mary Elizabeth,	Jan. 16, 1823.
440	" Mary Elizabeth,	d. d. at Lexington, Ky., Aug. 4, 1857.
440	" Sylvester,	June 28, 1825.
440	" Sylvester,	d. d. at Lexington, Ky., April 24, 1844.
440	" Charlotte Dickinson,	July 11, 1850.
440	" James F. Simmons,	Oct. 3, 1833.
440	" James F. Simmons,	died July 25, 1873.
440	" Frederick Richmond,	Nov. 23, 1837.
440	" Peleg,	March 18, 1794.
440	" Lydia K. (Church), his wife.	
440	" Susanna, of Peleg and Lydia,	April 7, 1821.
440	" Rachel,	Jan. 9, 1823.
440	" Maria,	May 26, 1825.
440	" Horatio Haranzo,	June 6, 1830.
440	" Esther Wilbur,	April 17, 1832.
440	" Alvin Church,	Sept. 28, 1834.
440	" Alvin Church,	died Aug. 14, 1859.
440	" Joshua, of James and Hannah,	March 28, 1799.
440	" Polly, of Edmund and Polly,	May 10, 1800.
440	" Henry Sharbourn, of Henry and Ruth,	June 6, 1801.
440	" Arinda,	March 26, 1804.
440	" Edmund,	March 1, 1807.
440	" Alfred,	May 7, 1808.
440	" Emily,	June 12, 1815.
440	" Rodolphus W.,	April 27, 1813.
440	" Henry S.,	June 6, 1801.
440	" Jane E. (Garrison), his wife b. Sandwich, Mass.,	Aug. 26, 1807.
440	" died at Little Compton,	Sept. 20, 1825.
440	" Rebecca E., of Henry S. and Jane E.,	Dec. 28, 1827.
440	" Rebecca E.,	d. Nov. 17, 1841.
440	" Alvin E.,	April 12, 1830.
440	" Elizabeth F.,	Nov. 7, 1834.
440	" Maria M.,	June 22, 1837.
440	" Sophia A.,	May 15, 1839.
440	" Sophia A.,	d. Oct. 29, 1861.
440	" Rebecca E.,	May 13, 1842.
440	" Rebecca E.,	d. Oct. 13, 1843.
440	" James G.,	July 13, 1844.
440	" James G.,	d. July 20, 1844.
440	" Rebecca G.,	May 23, 1845.
440	" Franklin I. B.,	Sept. 30, 1849.
440	" Robert G.,	March 2, 1852.
440	" Elkin, of Isaac and Elizabeth,	Oct. 14, 1851.
440	" Abner,	Sept. 18, 1803.
440	" Nancy,	Dec. 8, 1805.
440	" Elizabeth,	Aug. 15, 1809.
440	" Ephraim W. (b. Westport),	June 16, 1802.
440	" Sarah (Hicks), his wife (b. Westport),	May 31, 1818.
440	" Maria L., of Ephraim W. and Sarah,	Oct. 7, 1833.
440	" Emma C.,	Aug. 28, 1843.
440	" —, of Edmund and Prescilla,	March 14, 1803.
440	" Jonathan, of Christopher and Sarah,	Feb. 12, 1806.
440	" Charles,	May 12, 1811.
440	" Elminth,	Aug. 30, 1811.

BROWN, William (?1650-1705) & Margaret STONE (1653-1718), m/2 Joseph FOSTER 1714; 11 Jan 1675, 1675/6?; Sudbury

BROWN, William (-1724, ae 78) & 2/wf Mary LATHROP (?1660-1713); 21 May 1679; Charlestown

BROWN, William & Catherine ?; ca 1683; Southold, LI

BROWN, William & Secunda ?; b 1684; Boston

BROWN, William & Mary ? (-1741+); b 1688, b 1686; Boston

BROWN, William (-1716) & Rebecca (FRIEND) BAILEY, w Thomas; 26 Apr 1694; Salem/Boston/Watertown

BROWN, William & 2/wf Mary JACKLIN; 29 Oct 1694; Boston

BROWN, William & Hannah JOY; 6 Sep 1695, 23 Sep 1695; Salem/Marblehead

BROWN, William & Mary ?; bef, b 1695/6, b 1696; Hadley

BROWN, William & Mary BAKER; at Lynn, 4 Nov 1696; Salem

BROWN, William & Ann FROST; m int 14 Dec 1696; Boston

BROWN, William & Sarah ?; b 1697; Bristol, RI/Swansea

BROWN, William & Rebecca ?; b 1697; Sherborn

BROWN, William & Joanna TAYNOUR; 11 Nov 1697; Marblehead

BROWN, William & Susannah (HARDING), w John; 27 Oct 1699; Eastham

BROWN, (?John) & Martha (MATTHEWS) (SNELL), wid; b 1678; Dover, NH

BROWN, ? & Elizabeth NICHOLSON (1616-), w Edward/Edmund

BROWNELL, George (1646-1718) & Susanna PEARCE (1652-1743); 4 Dec 1673; Portsmouth, RI/Tiverton, RI

BROWNELL, Robert (1652-1728) & Mary ? (-1728+); b 1687, b 1677?; Portsmouth, RI

BROWNELL, Thomas¹ (-1665+) & Ann [BOURNE?] (-1665+); 20 May 1637, ca 1638/44;

Portsmouth, RI/Little Compton, RI

BROWNELL, Thomas (1650-1732) & Mary [PEARCE] (1654-1736); 1678?; Portsmouth, RI/Tiver-

ton, RI/Little Compton, RI

BROWNELL, Thomas² & Esther TABER; May 1698, 15 Nov 1698; Tiverton, RI/Little Compton, RI

BROWNELL, William² (ca 1648-1715+) & Sarah [SMITON] (1654-1715+); b 1674, 1672?;

Portsmouth, RI/Little Compton, RI

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Kent, or of Richard and Judith (Cowper) Bourne of London.

While the Tenderton Bournes are mentioned in *Snow-Estes Genealogy* [1:434], no conclusive evidence is given. Charles L. Greenwood has contributed a note that Anne Bourne, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth, married 21 Jan. 1640 one Nehemiah Smith, but no further details have been forthcoming.

On the assumption, *which is not proven*, that Ann (Bourne) Brownell was a daughter of Richard and Judith (Cowper) Bourne, her tentative ancestry is given as follows.

1. JOHN^Y BOURNE, born about 1514, married Margaret, and had, according to a chart originating with T. E. Collins, but not documented:

2. WILLIAM^B BOURNE, born in 1539, died in 1581, married Margaret Ryse, and had:

3. RICHARD^a BOURNE, baptized in the parish of St. Michael's, Cornhill, London, 18 June 1564, and was perhaps the Richard Bourne who died 11 March 1632, according to Mr. Greenwood.

He married Judith^a Cowper [Howard ed. *Visit. London*, 197].

Children, baptized in St. Michael's, Cornhill, London:

i. Elizabeth, bapt. 15 June 1600 [Stratton's *Sherman*, 151].

ii. William, bapt. 12 July 1601.

iii. Katherine, bapt. 9 Sept. 1604.

* iv. Anne, bapt. 15 Feb. 1606; presumed to have married Thomas¹ Brownell.

v. Margaret, bapt. 1 July 1614.

1. WILLIAM^Y COWPER, who married Margaret Spencer, is given by T. E. Collins as the father of:

2. JOHN^B COWPER, "of the Parish of St Michaels in Cornhill London Esq. died 1609."

The pedigree chart [Howard] shows he married Elizabeth Ironside, daughter of John Ironside of Lincoln, gentleman.

Children, in the order given in the *Visitation*, which lists sons before daughters:

i. William, m. Martha Masters, daughter of John Masters of East Langdon, Kent; he was Collector of the Impost of Strangers in the port of London in 1633.

ii. John.

iii. Edward.

iv. Richard, no issue.

v. Nicholas, "2 sonne."

* vi. Judeth, m. Richard Bourne of London.

vii. Katherine, m. John Tey of Essex.

viii. Elizabeth, m. John Jacques of London; had son "Sir John Jacques Baronett."

1. WILLIAM, born in 1798, died in 1860, and had:

2. RICHARD, born in 1800, died in 1860, and had:
3. WILLIAM, born in 1802, died in 1860, and had:
4. RICHARD, born in 1804, died in 1860, and had:
5. WILLIAM, born in 1806, died in 1860, and had:

6. WILLIAM, born in 1808, died in 1860, and had:
7. RICHARD, born in 1810, died in 1860, and had:
8. WILLIAM, born in 1812, died in 1860, and had:
9. RICHARD, born in 1814, died in 1860, and had:

10. WILLIAM, born in 1816, died in 1860, and had:
11. RICHARD, born in 1818, died in 1860, and had:

12. WILLIAM, born in 1820, died in 1860, and had:
13. RICHARD, born in 1822, died in 1860, and had:
14. WILLIAM, born in 1824, died in 1860, and had:
15. RICHARD, born in 1826, died in 1860, and had:

16. WILLIAM, born in 1828, died in 1860, and had:
17. RICHARD, born in 1830, died in 1860, and had:

18. WILLIAM, born in 1832, died in 1860, and had:
19. RICHARD, born in 1834, died in 1860, and had:

20. WILLIAM, born in 1836, died in 1860, and had:
21. RICHARD, born in 1838, died in 1860, and had:

22. WILLIAM, born in 1840, died in 1860, and had:
23. RICHARD, born in 1842, died in 1860, and had:

24. WILLIAM, born in 1844, died in 1860, and had:
25. RICHARD, born in 1846, died in 1860, and had:

26. WILLIAM, born in 1848, died in 1860, and had:
27. RICHARD, born in 1850, died in 1860, and had:

28. WILLIAM, born in 1852, died in 1860, and had:
29. RICHARD, born in 1854, died in 1860, and had:

30. WILLIAM, born in 1856, died in 1860, and had:
31. RICHARD, born in 1858, died in 1860, and had:

32. WILLIAM, born in 1860, died in 1860, and had:
33. RICHARD, born in 1862, died in 1860, and had:

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TIVERTON—INTENTIONS AND MARRIAGES.

- 3-113 BROWNELL George, and Susannah W. Pearce, Dec. 4, 1873.
- 3-113 " Thomas, and Mary Pearce, —, 1873.
- 3-110 " Martha, and Jonathan Troop, Aug. 22, 1895.
- 3-112 " Thomas, and Esther Taber, May —, 1898.
- 3-110 " Mary, and William Congdill, March 3, 1898.
- 3-112 " George, and Mary Thurston, —, 1706.
- 3-112 " Jeremiah, and Deborah Burgess, Nov. 6, 1712.
- 3-112 " Thomas, and Mary Crandall, Dec. 15, 1714.
- 3-112 " John, and Mary Carr, Dec. 20, 1715.
- 3-111 " Mary, and Esck Carr, April 3, 1717.
- 3-112 " Charles, and Mary Willbourn, July 6, 1717.
- 3-101 " Phebe, and Phillip Taber, Oct. 1, 1724.
- 2-180 " Rejoice, and Benjamin Macomber (also 3-102); (Int.) April 18, 1730; m. May 25, 1730.
- 3-111 " Bridget, and Benjamin Shrieves, Jan. 13, 1732.
- 3-112 " Jonathan, and Elizabeth Richmond, Jan. 14, 1742.
- 2-175 " Paul, of Little Compton, and Deborah Dennis, of Tiverton; (Int.) Jan. 6, 1745-6.
- 3-109 " Joseph, and Elizabeth Crandall; m. by Rev. William Billings, Aug. 30, 1740.

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- 2-15 BROWNELL Abraham, and Mary Hicks; m. by Samuel Durfee, Justice, March 20, 1747.
- 8-112 " Job, and Ruth Manchester, June 25, 1747.
- 2-18 " Tabitha, and Joseph Lake, March 1, 1749-50.
- 2-22 " Judeth, and Ephraim Potter, Oct. 26, 1752.
- 2-34 " John, of Little Compton, and Susannah Borden of Tiverton; m. by Samuel Hicks, Justice, Nov. 15, 1753.
- 2-23 " Phebe, and Daniel Devo, Dec. 15, 1754.
- 2-34 " Benjamin, and Rebecca Durfee; m. by Samuel Hicks, Justice, March 14, 1756.
- 2-28 " Sarah, and William Macomber, March 23, 1760.
- 2-35 " Mercy, and Joseph Cuncall, Oct. 23, 1760.
- 2-31 " Mercy, and Eber Crandall, Sept. 10, 1761.
- 2-41 " Patience, and Jacob Chase, 2d., May 27, 1762.
- 2-51 " Elizabeth, and Joseph Manchester, Feb. 13, 1765.
- 2-85 " Comfort, and Abner Wilcox, Nov. 17, 1779.
- 2-88 " Isreal, of Giles, dec., and Rachel Potter, of Dartmouth, widow, dau. of John Simmons; m. by Walter Cook, Justice, April —, 1780.
- 2-87 " Ruth, and George Cook, —, 1780.
- 5-18 " Capt. Pardon, of Little Compton, and Abby White, of Tiverton; m. by Rev. Jonathan King, Oct. 28, 1830.
- 5-57 " William, and Eliza Barden; m. by Rev. J. Kelly, May 19, 1846.
- 5-62 " Esck M., of Gideon, and Elizabeth L. Estes, of Job; m. by Rev. Jared Reed, Oct. 13, 1847.
- 5-67 " Esther F., and William M. Cook, Jan. 12, 1840.
- 5-74 " Gideon E., of Tiverton, son of Edward and Rebecca, and Ann Mariah Lake, of Tiverton, dau. of Hiram and Betsey; m. by Rev. Jared Reed, Nov. 23, 1849.
- 5-62 " George, of New Bedford, of Peleg B., and Hannah G., and Harriet Amanda Thatcher, of New Bedford, dau. of Lewis P. and Eliza; m. Rev. Jared Reed, Feb. 3, 1850.

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VITAL RECORD OF RHODE ISLAND.

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- 3-113 BROWNELL George, and Susannah W. Pearce, Dec. 4, 1873.
- 3-113 " Thomas, and Mary Pearce, —, 1873.
- 3-110 " Martin, and Jonathan Troop, Aug. 22, 1695.
- 3-112 " Thomas, and Esther Taber, May —, 1698.
- 3-110 " Mary, and William Congdill, March 2, 1698.
- 3-112 " George, and Mary Thurston, —, 1706.
- 3-112 " Jeremiah, and Deborah Burgess, Nov. 6, 1712.
- 3-112 " Thomas, and Mary Crankall, Dec. 15, 1714.
- 3-112 " John, and Mary Carr, Dec. 20, 1715.
- 3-111 " Mary, and Esck Carr, April 3, 1717.
- 3-112 " Charles, and Mary Wilbourn, July 6, 1717.
- 3-101 " Phebe, and Phillip Taber, Oct. 1, 1724.
- 2-180 " Rejoice, and Benjamin Macomber (also 3-102); (Int.) April 18, 1730; m. May 23, 1730.
- 3-111 " Bridget, and Benjamin Shrieves, Jan. 13, 1732.
- 3-112 " Jonathan, and Elizabeth Richmond, Jan. 14, 1743.
- 2-175 " Paul, of Little Compton, and Deborah Dennis, of Tiverton; (Int.) Jan. 6, 1745-6.
- 3-109 " Joseph, and Elizabeth Crandall; m. by Rev. William Billings, Aug. 30, 1746.

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VITAL RECORD OF RHODE ISLAND.

- 2-15 BROWNELL Abraham, and Mary Hicks; m. by Samuel Durfee, Justice, March 29, 1747.
- 2-112 " Job, and Ruth Manchester, June 25, 1747.
- 2-18 " Tabitha, and Joseph Lake, March 1, 1749-50.
- 2-22 " Judith, and Ephraim Potter, Oct. 26, 1752.
- 2-34 " John, of Little Compton, and Susannah Borden of Tiverton; m. by Samuel Hicks, Justice, Nov. 15, 1753.
- 2-23 " Phebe, and Daniel Devo, Dec. 15, 1754.
- 2-34 " Benjamin, and Rebecca Durfee; m. by Samuel Hicks, Justice, March 14, 1756.
- 2-28 " Sarah, and William Macomber, March 23, 1760.
- 2-35 " Mercy, and Joseph Cudall, Oct. 23, 1760.
- 2-31 " Mercy, and Eber Crandall, Sept. 10, 1761.
- 2-41 " Patience, and Jacob Chase, 2d., May 27, 1762.
- 2-51 " Elizabeth, and Joseph Manchester, Feb. 13, 1765.
- 2-85 " Comfort, and Abner Wilcox, Nov. 17, 1779.
- 2-88 " Israel, of Giles, dec., and Rachel Potter, of Dartmouth, widow, dau. of John Simmons; m. by Walter Cook, Justice, April —, 1780.
- 2-87 " Ruth, and George Cook, —, 1780.
- 5-18 " Capt. Purdon, of Little Compton, and Abby White, of Tiverton; m. by Rev. Jonathan King, Oct. 28, 1830.
- 5-57 " William, and Eliza Barden; m. by Rev. J. Kelly, May 19, 1846.
- 5-62 " Esck M., of Gideon, and Elizabeth L. Estes, of Job; m. by Rev. Jared Reed, Oct. 13, 1847.
- 5-67 " Esther F., and William M. Cook, Jan. 12, 1840.
- 5-74 " Gideon E., of Tiverton, son of Edward and Rebecca, and Ann Mariah Lake, of Tiverton, dau. of Hiram and Betsey; m. by Rev. Jared Reed, Nov. 23, 1849.
- 5-82 " George, of New Bedford, of Peleg H., and Hannah G., and Harriet Amanda Thatcher, of New Bedford, dau. of Lewis P. and Eliza; m. Rev. Jared Reed, Feb. 3, 1850.

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Leeds, Yorkshire, extant, a study of them might provide further information on the ancestry of this line. Austin notes that Brownell descendants in America claimed to have plate with the coat of arms of the Derbyshire Brownells, but this grant was not made until 1682, so no descendant of the line below can claim the right to that coat of arms unless also a descendant of the Derbyshire line.

1. ROBERT^a BROWNE lived in Sheffield, Yorkshire, England.

He married in Sheffield, in 1605, Mary Wilson [Boyd's Marriage Index in the Society of Genealogists, London, cited by Sprague].

George Brownell of London and Thomas¹ Brownell of Portsmouth were mentioned as cousins, probably meaning nephews, by Thomas Wilson of Ryecroft, Rawmarsh, Yorkshire, in his will dated 25 Feb. 1657, proved 14 Feb. 1658 [Waters]. Thomas Wilson was a sometime citizen and clothmaker of London and a probable brother of Mary (Wilson) Brownell.

Children, baptized in Sheffield:

- i. George, bapt. 23 March 1605; lived in London, 1657.
2. ii. Thomas¹, bapt. 5 June 1608; d. Rhode Island 24 Sept. 1665; m. London 20 March 1637/8 Ann Bourne.
- iii. Ann, bapt. 28 July 1611.

2. THOMAS¹ BROWNE, baptized in Sheffield, Yorkshire, England, 5 June 1608, died in (Portsmouth?) Rhode Island, 24 Sept. 1665, the result of having hit his head against a tree while engaged in an impromptu horse race with Daniel² Lawton [West, *RIHSC*, 25:77].

He married in the parish of St. Benet, Paul's Wharf, London, 20 March 1637/8, Ann Bourne [Littledale]. Her ancestry is discussed at some length immediately below. Apparently they lived for a time in the parish of St. Mary Cole, London [Banks' *Topo. Dict.*, 109].

He was in Braintree, Massachusetts Bay, by 1640, when as a planter he sold house and land there to Deodatus Curtis. He was in Portsmouth, R. I., by 1644 [Sprague], and witnessed the will of John Walker of Portsmouth on 10 March 1647 with his mark [G. G. Brownell]. He owned land on the west side of the northwest end of the island of Rhode Island next to William¹ Freeborne (q.v.). He served Portsmouth as Commissioner in 1655 and 1661 to 1663, and as Deputy in 1664.

Children, order of birth uncertain:

- i. Mary², b. April 1639; m. Robert² Hazard.
- * ii. Sarah, b. ca. 1641; m. Gideon² Freeborne.
- iii. Martha, b. May 1643 (?1653); d. 15 Feb. 1743/4; m. (1) Jeremiah² Wait, m. (2) Charles² Dyer.
- iv. George, b. May 1646; d. 20 April 1718; m. Susannah² Pearce.
- v. William, b. ca. 1648; d. 1715; m. Sarah² Smiton.
- vi. Thomas, d. 18 May 1732; m. Mary² Pearce.
- vii. Robert, d. 12 July 1728; m. Mary Ladd.
- viii. Ann, b. ca. 1656; d. 2 April 1747; m. Joseph² Wilbore.
- ix. Susannah, m.

Ann Bourne, wife of Thomas¹ Brownell, has been identified variously as the daughter of Thomas Bourne of Tenderdon, location in England unknown, or of Thomas Bourne, born 1581, of Tenderton,

lands, Yorkshire, extent, a copy of them might provide further information on the ancestry of this line. Another note that Brownell descendants in America claimed to have plate with the coat of arms of the Brownell family, but this grant was not made until 1881. In the descendant of this line below can claim the right to that coat of arms which also a descendant of the Brownell line.

1. ROBERT BROWNELL lived in Sheffield, Yorkshire, England, married in Sheffield, in 1803, Mary Wilson (born a daughter) in the parish of Gossolow, London, City of London. George Brownell of London and Thomas Brownell of Portsmouth were mentioned as witnesses, probably meaning Robert, son of Thomas Wilson of Gossolow, Yorkshire, in his will dated 25 Feb. 1807. Robert Brownell, 1808 (Harvest) Thomas Wilson was a successful cotton and clothier of London and a friend's brother of Mary (Wilson) Brownell.

Children, baptised in Sheffield:

1. George, bapt. 22 March 1803; lived in London, 1807.
2. Thomas, bapt. 2 June 1805; d. Rhode Island 25 Sept. 1863; m. London 20 March 1835; Ann Brownell.
3. Agnes, bapt. 28 July 1811.

2. THOMAS BROWNELL, baptised in Sheffield, Yorkshire, England, 2 June 1808, died in (Rhode Island?) Rhode Island, 25 Sept. 1863, the result of having hit his head against a tree while engaged in an experiment horse race with Daniel Jackson (West. Mass. 25 VV). He married in the parish of St. Peter, Vaux's Water, London, 20 March 1835, Ann Brownell (Rhode Island). Her ancestry is discussed at some length immediately below. Robert's only lived for a time in the parish of St. Mary Cole, London (Banks, York, Dioc., 1881). He was in Rhinecliff, Massachusetts, by 1840, when on a ship, but he sold home and land near to Goodwin Curtis. He was in Portsmouth, N. H., by 1845 (Banks), and witnessed the will of John Water of Portsmouth on 15 March 1847 with his mark (C. C. Brownell). He owned land on the west side of the northeast end of the island of Rhode Island near to William Brownell (p. v.). He resided Portsmouth in Massachusetts in 1835 and 1841 to 1843, and as a legacy in 1864.

Children, order of birth uncertain:

1. Mary, b. April 1840; m. Robert Baint.
2. Sarah, b. 1841; m. William Brownell.
3. William, b. 1842; m. 1867; d. 18 Feb. 1891; m. (1) Catherine, wife of (7) Charles, born 1843; m. 1867; d. 1891.

BROWNELL

There has been much speculation concerning the ancestry of Thomas¹ Brownell of Rhode Island. The parish registers of Rotherham, Yorkshire, England, contain many Brownells [Boston Transcript, 14 Nov. 1911:1849]; a copy appears in *Slade-Babcock Genealogy*, page 162. Clerkinwell records show a Margery, wife of Thomas Brownell, died 14 Oct. 1585 or 1586 [Stratton's *Sherman and Allied Families*, 151].

If there are records of the lands of Thomas Wilson in Hunslett,

Family Record

(Pearce Ancestors)
Family No. Thurston ①

Father - Edward THURSTON

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth			1617			England		
Death	1	Mar	1707	Newport		Rhode Island		
Buried								
Married		June	1647	Newport		Rhode Island	(3rd marriage on friends record) Quaker Country	
Occupation				Military	Church			Quaker
Places Lived	Pearson 1655, Ryebecker, commissioned & first & last gov. 1669-1690							
Other Wives	Signal address to the King 26 Aug 1686							
				His Father's Name				
				His Mother's Maiden Name				

Mother - Elizabeth MOTT

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth			1629	Cambridge		England		
Death	2	Sep	1684	Newport		Rhode Island		
Buried				Boddington		Burying grounds		
Occupation				Military	Church			Quaker
Places Lived								
Other Husbands								
				Her Father's Name				
				Her Mother's Maiden Name				

Children (Besides the following Sarah 10 Mar 1648 & Elizabeth 5 Feb 1650)

Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
1.	Edward Thurston Jr. Spouse - Susanna Joffe	Birth	1	Apr	1652	Newport		Rhode Island	
		Death			1690	"		"	
		Married	19	12	1678	"		"	
2.	Eleanor Thurston Spouse - George Havens	Birth		Mar	1655			"	
		Death			1724+				
		Married			1674	Wareham		"	
3.	Mary Thurston Spouse - (Rev) Ebenezer Swan	Birth		Feb	1657				
		Death	16	Nov	1732				
		Married	5	Apr	1678				
4.	Jonathan Thurston Spouse - Sarah (Giles?)	Birth	14	Jan	1659				
		Death			1740	Little Compton			
		Married	06		1678				
5.	David Thurston Spouse - Mary Easton	Birth		Apr	1661				
		Death			1712				
		Married	09		1687				
6.	Rebecca Thurston Spouse - (1) Peter Easton (2) Weston Clarke	Birth		Apr	1662				
		Death	16	May	1737				
		Married	25	Nov	1684	Newport			
7.	John Thurston Spouse - Elizabeth	Birth		Dec	1664				
		Death	22	Oct	1690				
		Married	09		1690				
8.	Content Thurston Spouse - ? Thomas Wood	Birth		Jan	1662				
		Death							
		Married	09		1692	Sassamont			
9.	Samuel Thurston Spouse - Abigail Clarke	Birth	24	Aug	1669				
		Death	26	Oct	1747				
		Married	09		1686	Newport			
10.	Thomas Thurston Spouse - Mch. Fobbe Tripp	Birth	6	Oct	1671				
		Death	23	Nov	1730				
		Married	23	July	1685				

☐ Additional children listed on the reverse side.

Family Record

(Paternal Ancestors)

Family No.

Thurston (2)

Surname

Father - Jonathan THURSTON

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth	14	Jan	1659/9	Newport ?		Rhode Island	Lived at Little Compton	
Death			1740	Little Compton ?		"	Dartmouth	
Buried								
Married		ca.	1678					
Occupation	Yeoman			Military			Church	Quaker
Places Lived	Possibly there were two wives. Our Mary was from the first. (for comparison with son Jonathan's family)							
Other Wives								

The genealogy gives 18 children from 1679 to 1717 at which time the mother would have been about 60 - only about 10 listed here

His Father's Name

His Mother's Maiden Name

Mother - Sarah GILES?

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth			○				Probably some of the children	
Death			○				(youngest) was of son Jonathan	
Buried			○				at below	
Occupation	Military					Church		
Places Lived	(John b. 12 July 1675) (Hys 26 Nov 1698 - Feb 1716) (Army 29 Jan 1706) + (Rely 8 July 1706) evidently died young							
Other Husbands								

For children of Lt George & Mary (Thurston) Brownell
See Brownell family

Her Father's Name

Giles?

Her Mother's Maiden Name

Children All recorded in Little Compton

Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
1.	Edward Thurston	Birth	15	Oct	1679	Little Compton			
	Spouse - (1) Sassanne Pearce (1698-1710)	Death			1738/9				
	(2) Sarah Carr (1685-1735+)	Married	(1) 19 Dec 1706						
			(2) 12 Oct 1706						
2.	Elizabeth Thurston	Birth	29	Nov	1682	LC			
	Spouse - Jonathan Wood (1681-1756)	Death	27	Aug	1717	LC			
		Married	6	Jan	1706				
3.	Mary Thurston	Birth	20	Mar	1685	L.C.			
	Spouse - Lt. George Brownell	Death	23	Feb	1740	Westport Harbor		MA	
		Married	6	July	1706				
4.	Jonathan Thurston	Birth	5	July	1687	LC			
	Spouse - Hannah (1680-1760)	Death			1740				
		Married							
5.	Rebecca Thurston	Birth	28	Nov	1689	LC			
	Spouse - Edward Richmond (1688-)	Death			17	Newport			
		Married	6	May	1711				
6.	Content Thurston	Birth	18	Aug	1691	LC			
	Spouse - Henry Wood (1696-1750)	Death							
		Married	14	Jun	1715				
7.	Sarah Thurston	Birth	9	Nov	1693	LC			
	Spouse - Benjamin Searcy	Death							
		Married	26	Jan	1712				
8.	Eleanor Thurston	Birth	26	Nov	1696	LC			
	Spouse - Peters	Death							
		Married			17				
9.	Abigail Thurston	Birth	7	May	1700	LC			
	Spouse - William White (1694-1780)	Death							
		Married	2	Oct	1729				
10.	Patience Thurston	Birth	16	Feb	1702	LC			
	Spouse - Thomas Southworth	Death							
		Married	21	Feb	1720	Lived in Bristol RI + Mansfield CT			

Additional children listed on the reverse side.

In the circles, identify by number your sources of information -- then list each on the reverse side.

According to the book Norman People, Thurstorn is a
Norman name, originally Tustina, Geoffrey, Robert, Nigel &
Ungrid Fitz-Testina in Normandy in 1180 - Robert & Roger Testin 1188
and Robert Thurstern in Byland 1272

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21 THURSTON Jonathan; m. 1672.
 81, 164 " Elisabeth, and Jonathan Wood, Jan. 6, 1703.
 85 " Mary, and George Brownell, July 6, 1703.
 61, 164 " Edward and Susanna Pearce; m. by Joseph Church, Justice, Dec.
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 120, 170 " George, and Kema Thurston; m. by Thomas Church, Justice; int.
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 173 " Mary, and John Brownell; int. June 10; m. July 2, 1733.
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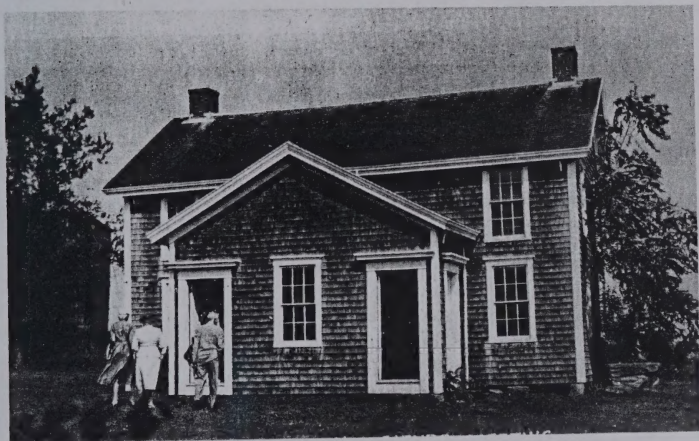
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THE THURSTON FAMILY

From the Thurston Genealogy by Brown Thurston.

1. EDWARD¹ THURSTON, born in 1617, died in Newport 1 March 1707. He married in June 1647 ELIZABETH MOTT, daughter of Adam Mott, born in 1629, died 2 Sept. 1694. Residence: Newport.

He must have come to this country some time previous to 1647, at least, in order to attend the preliminaries of his marriage, which is the third marriage on the record of the Society of Friends in Newport. He was a freeman in 1655, a commissioner and assistant deputy 1663 to 1690. On 26 Aug. 1686 he, with others, signed an address from the Quakers of Rhode Island to the King.

His will, made 11 Jan. 1704 and proved 12 March 1707, named a grandson, Edward, son of his son Edward; sons Jonathan, Daniel, Samuel and Thomas; a granddaughter, Elizabeth, daughter of Jonathan; sons-in-law Weston Clarke and Ebenezer Slocum. His will is in very bad condition and practically unreadable.

Children, born in Newport:

- i. Sarah, b. 10 March 1648.
 - ii. Elizabeth, b. in February 1650.
 - iii. Edward, b. 1 April 1652; m. Susanna Jeffrey, daughter of William and Mary (Gould) Jeffrey. Residence: Newport.
 - iv. Eleanor, b. in March 1655; m. in 1674 George Havens, son of William and Dionis Havens.
 - v. Mary, b. in February 1657; m. the Rev. Ebenezer Slocum, son of Giles and Joan Slocum.
2. vi. Jonathan, b. 4 Jan. 1659.
- vii. Daniel, b. in April 1661; d. in 1712; m. Mary Easton, daughter of John and Mehitable (Gaunt) Easton. Residence: Newport.
- viii. Rebecca, b. in April 1662; d. 16 Sept. 1737; m. (1) Peter Easton, son of Peter and Ann (Coggeshale) Easton; m. (2) 25 Nov. 1691 Weston Clarke, son of Jeremiah and Frances (Latham) Clarke.
- ix. John, b. in December 1664; d. 22 Oct. 1690; m. Elizabeth (--). Residence: Newport. Both are buried in the Clifton burial ground.
- x. Content, b. in June 1667.
- xi. Samuel, b. 24 Aug. 1669; d. 26 Oct. 1747; m. Abigail Clarke, daughter of Latham and Hannah (Wilbor) Clarke. Residence: Newport.
- xii. Thomas, b. 8 Oct. 1671; d. 22 March 1730; m. Mehitable Tripp, daughter of Peleg and Ann (Sisson) Tripp.

2. JONATHAN² THURSTON (Edward¹), born in Newport 4 Jan. 1659, died in 1740. He married about 1678 SARAH (--).

Residence: First Newport, LC next, and finally Dartmouth. He lived on the Main Road of LC on the next place north of the Amasa Gray place. In 1870 it belonged to George Brown. He was the appraiser of the estate of John Dye in 1715, and took inventory of that estate in 1728. The Dye family lived directly south of him.

His will, recorded Taunton Probate, book 9, page 390, made 22 Aug. 1735 and proved 15 April 1740: "... Jonathan Thurston of LC, yeoman, now resident and living in Dartmouth. ... To son Edward 10 shillings. To son Jonathan 140 pounds and he to be sole executor. To son Joseph 150 pounds. To son Job 150 pounds. To daughter Mary

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Brownell 30 pounds. To daughter Content Wood 30 pounds. To daughter Abigail White 30 pounds. To daughter Susannah Carr 30 pounds. To grandson Lovit Peters 30 pounds and that which belongs to his mother Eleanor. To granddaughter Rebecca Southworth 20 pounds and household stuff that belonged to Patience, her mother. Ten shillings each

to all daughters of Elizabeth Wood's children. To daughter Sarah Sawday's children 10 shillings. To two youngest sons, Joseph and Job, all household goods not otherwise disposed of . . . "

Children, recorded in LC:

3. i. Edward, b. 18 Oct. 1679.
- ii. Elizabeth, b. 29 Nov. 1682; m. in LC 6 Jan. 1703 Jonathan Wood, son of Col. Thomas and Rebecca Wood.
- ✓ iii. Mary, b. 20 March 1685; m. in LC 6 July 1706 Lt. George Brownell, son of Thomas and Mary (Pearce) Brownell of LC.
4. iv. Jonathan, b. 5 July 1687.
- v. Rebecca, b. 28 Nov. 1689; m. 6 May 1711 Edward Richmond, grandson of John Richmond of Taunton and Newport, and son of Edward and Sarah Richmond.
- vi. Content, b. 18 Aug. 1691; m. in LC 14 Sept. 1815 Henry Wood.
- vii. Sarah, b. 9 Nov. 1693; m. in LC 26 June 1712 Benjamin Sawdy.
- viii. John, b. 12 July 1695; d. before 1735.
- ix. Eleanor, b. 26 Nov. 1696; m. (--). Peters.
- x. Hope, b. 26 Nov. 1698; d. in February 1716.
- xi. Abigail, b. 7 May 1700; m. in LC 2 Oct. 1729 William White.
- xii. Patience, b. 16 Feb. 1702; m. 21 Feb. 1723 Thomas Southworth.
- xiii. Amey, b. 29 Jan. 1705; d. before 1735.
- xiv. Peleg, b. 8 July 1706; d. before 1735.
- xv. Jeremiah, b. 8 Aug. 1710; d. before 1735.
- xvi. Susannah, b. 20 Aug. 1712; m. (--). Carr. She was bapt. at Trinity church in Newport.
5. xvii. Joseph, b. 25 April 1714.
- xviii. Job, b. 1 July 1717.

3. EDWARD³ THURSTON (Jonathan², Edward¹), born in LC 18 Oct. 1679. Residence: LC.

He was married first in LC 19 Dec. 1706 by Joseph Church, justice, to SUSANNAH PEARCE, daughter of George and Alice (Hart) Pearce, born 21 Aug. 1688, died in LC 5 Aug. 1711. He was married second in LC 15 Oct. 1712 by Richard Billings, justice, to SARAH CARR, daughter of Ezek and Susanna Carr, born in LC 14 July 1685.

His will, recorded LC Probate, book 9, page 206, made 20 March 1738 and proved 15 Jan. 1739: "... To wife Sarah 140 pounds and all household goods, my Indian boy named Isaac. To son George 49 acres of land south side of my farm adjoining Samuel Gray's land in breadth to make 49 acres and the house he now dwells in, one acre more where house stands next to 49 acres. To five daughters, Mary Brownell, Elizabeth White, Ruth Thurston, Sarah Thurston

by Benjamin Franklin

W. H. Buror

*18 children? She could have been 1
about 50 when she had the daughter?*

*1717
6 or 1659
58
last child
age 57?*

and Hope Thurston, all remaining part of my land and housing. To wife Sarah the use of farm tools and cart, use of my house where I now dwell and all land I gave to son George until youngest daughter comes of age. My wife and friend Samuel Gray executors. . . "

Children:

6. i. George, b. 4 Nov. 1709.
- ii. William, b. 13 April 1711; d. 13 March 1712.
- iii. Mary, b. 16 May 1714; m. in LC 2 July 1733 John Brownell (Margaret³, Robert², Thomas¹).
- iv. Elizabeth, b. 24 Sept. 1719; m. 4 March 1739 Christopher White, son of William and Sarah (Cadman) White.
- v. Ruth, b. 3 Oct. 1722; m. in LC 7 Feb. 1740 Pearce Brownell, son of Jeremiah and Deborah (Burgess) Brownell.
- vi. Sarah, b. 14 July 1725.
- vii. Hope, b. 8 Sept. 1727; m. in LC 26 Dec. 1751 Ichabod Potter, son of Ichabod and Eleanor Potter.

4. JONATHAN³ THURSTON (Jonathan², Edward¹), born in LC 5 July 1687, died in 1740. He married HANNAH (--), born 2 Oct. 176-, ae 88. Residence: LC.

Children:

- i. Edward, b. in 1719; m. in Newport 8 April 1753 Elizabeth Crocum.
- ii. Jonathan, b. about 1721.
- iii. Mary, b. about 1723.
- iv. Content, b. about 1727.
- v. Abigail, b. about 1727.
- vi. Susanna, b. about 1729.

5. JOSEPH³ THURSTON (Jonathan², Edward¹), born in LC 25 April 1714. He was married there 1 June 1738 by Richard Billings, justice, to MERCY BURGESS, daughter of Thomas and Patience Burgess, born in LC 22 Feb. 1722. Residence: LC and Newport.

Children, recorded in LC:

- i. Mary, b. 2 Dec. 1741.

6. GEORGE⁴ THURSTON (Edward³, Jonathan², Edward¹), born in LC 4 Nov. 1709. He was married first in LC 11 Dec. 1729 by Thomas Church, justice, to KEZIAH THURSTON. He married second (--)
GREENE.

He lived on the place called the George Brown place, next north of the Amasa Gray place. He sold his farm in LC to John Brown, son of Tobias Brown, about 1740 and moved to Hopkinton, R.I. He may have been a doctor as the estate of Philip Taylor, husband of Comfort, mentions "for doctor's stuff from George Thurston".

Children, first five recorded in LC:

- i. Susanna, b. in January 1730.
- ii. William, b. 17 Jan. 1733; m. Ruth Stetson.
- iii. Hannah, b. 10 Jan. 1735; m. (--) Greene.
- iv. Mary, b. 27 Aug. 1737.
- v. Edward, b. 16 May 1740; m. Thankful Main.
- vi. George, b. in 1741; m. (1) Dolly Cottrell; m. (2) Sarah Rathbun.
- vii. Nabby, b. in 1753; m. Nathaniel Main.

LITTLE COMPTON FAMILIES

Thurston

by B. F. Wilboor

- viii. Gardner, b. in 1760; m. Lydia Taylor.
- ix. Joseph, m. Sarah Taylor.

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(also a 1975 edition says same thing)

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THURSTON

Research into the Giles family might provide more information on the identity of the wife of Jonathan² Thurston, but a cursory search of printed materials has proven nothing at all.

1. EDWARD¹ THURSTON, born about 1618, died in Newport, Rhode Island, 1 March 1707, aged 90 [Thurston Gen., 2nd ed., 518].

According to the Newport Friends' Records, he married, in June 1647, Elizabeth³ Mott*, who died in Newport 2 Sept. 1694, aged 67, and was interred at the Coddington burying ground there. The marriage was the third on the record of the Friends at Newport.

He was on the list of freemen in 1655 and served as a legislator regularly, being a commissioner, Assistant and deputy variously from 1663 to 1690. He was one of the Quakers of Rhode Island who signed an address to the King on 26 August 1686.

His will, dated 11 Jan. 1704, was proved 12 March 1707.

Children, born in Newport:

- i. Sarah², b. 10 March 1648.
 - ii. Elizabeth, b. Feb. 1650.
 - iii. Edward, b. 1 April 1652; d. 7 Dec. 1690; m. Susanna Jefferay.
 - iv. Ellen, b. March 1655; m. 1674 George Havens.
 - v. Mary, b. Feb. 1657; d. 16 Nov. 1732; m. Rev. Ebenezer Slocum.
2. vi. Jonathan, b. 4 Jan. 1659; d. 1740; m. 1678 Sarah.
- vii. Daniel, b. April 1661; m. Mary Easton.
- viii. Rebecca, b. April 1662; d. 16 Sept. 1737; m. (1) Peter Easton, m. (2) 25 Nov. 1691 Weston Clarke.
- ix. John, b. Dec. 1664; d. 22 Oct. 1690; m. Elizabeth.
- x. Content, b. June 1667.
- xi. Samuel, b. 24 August 1669; d. 27 Oct. 1747; m. Abigail Clarke.
- xii. Thomas, b. 8 Oct. 1671; d. 22 March 1730; m. 23 June 1695 Mehitabel³ Tripp.

2. JONATHAN² THURSTON, born in Newport, Rhode Island, 4 Jan. 1659, died probably in what is now Little Compton, R. I., between the date of his will, 22 August 1735, and the date of probate at Taunton, Massachusetts, 15 April 1740.

He married his wife Sarah about 1678. It has been suggested that she was a member of the Giles family, but Vinton's work has disclosed no foundation for this idea.

He was a yeoman, that is, a landowning farmer.

Children, recorded in Little Compton:

- i. Edward³, b. 18 Oct. 1679; d. 1739; m. (1) 19 Dec. 1706 Susanna³ Pearce, m. (2) 15 Oct. 1712 Sarah Carr.
- ii. Elizabeth, b. 29 Nov. 1682; d. 27 August 1717; m. Little Compton 6 Jan. 1703 Jonathan³ Wood.
- ✓ iii. Mary, b. 20 March 1685; m. 6 July 1706 George³ Brownell.
- iv. Jonathan, b. 5 July 1687; m. Hannah.
- v. Rebecca, b. 28 Nov. 1689; m. 6 May 1711 Edward⁴ Richmond [Wilbour's Little Compton Families, 515].
- vi. Content, b. 18 August 1691; m. 14 Sept. 1715 Henry Wood [Ibid., 787].
- vii. Sarah, b. 9 Nov. 1693; m. 26 June 1712 Benjamin Sawdy.
- viii. John, b. 12 July 1695; d. before 1735.
- ix. Eleanor, b. 26 Nov. 1696; m. Peters.
- x. Hope, b. 26 Nov. 1698; d. Feb. 1716.
- * xi. Abigail, b. 7 May 1700; m. there 2 Oct. 1729 William⁴ White.
- xii. Patience, b. 16 Feb. 1702; m. 21 Feb. 1723 Thomas Southworth.
- xiii. Amey, b. 29 Jan. 1705.
- xiv. Peleg, b. 8 July 1706.
- xv. Jeremiah, b. 8 May 1710.
- xvi. Susanna, b. 20 August 1712; m. Carr.
- xvii. Joseph, b. 25 April 1714; m. 1 June 1738 Mercy⁴ Burgess.
- xviii. Job, b. 1 July 1717.

1717
1679
38
Mother ca 28 5 5
age 58 when last child born?
This does not make sense!
Jaffa Job 1687
1708? - the last 3 or 4 children must have been his or someone else.
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THURSTON

EDWARD THURSTON was born in 1617. He was a quaker of Newport, R. I. He was a freeman in 1655, commissioner in 1663, deputy 12 times between 1667 and 1686, and Assistant in 1675, '86, '90 and '91. Aug. 26, 1686, he signed with other Quakers an address to the King in regard to the writ of Quo Warranto. They desired to be excused from bearing arms, being a peaceable people and "willing to pay all just rates and duties for carrying on the commonwealth's affairs, etc."

Jany. 30, 1690, he with five other Assistants and Deputy Gov. Greene wrote a letter to William and Mary congratulating them on their accession to the crown, and informing them that since the deposition of Sir Edmund Andros, the former government under the charter had been reassumed; mentioning also the seizure of Andros in R. I. on his flight from confinement in Mass., and his return to Mass. on demand of that colony. He married June, 1647, Elizabeth, dau. of Adam Mott. He died Mar. 1, 1707, leaving a will dated Jan'y 11, 1704, which was probated Mar. 12, 1707, and names his sons Jonathan, Daniel, Samuel and Thomas; gr. son Edward, son of Edward; gr. dau. Elizabeth; sons-in-law Weston Clark and Ebenezer Slocum, and two gr. daus. Slocum.

Children.

Sarah	b. 1648, Mar. 10		
Elizabeth	b. 1650, Feby.		
Edward	b. 1652, Apl. 1	d. 1690, Dec. 7	m. Susanna Jefferay
Eleanor	b. 1655, Mar. 1	d. 1724	m. George Harris
Mary	b. 1657, Feby.	d. 1732, Nov. 16	m. Ebenezer Slocum
Jonathan	b. 1659, Jany. 4	d. 1740	m. Sarah
Daniel	b. 1661, Apl.	d. 1712	m. Mary Easton
Rebecca	b. 1662, Apl.	d. 1737, Sept. 16	m. Peter Easton.
			2d. Weston Clark.
John	b. 1664, Dec.	d. 1690, Oct. 22	m. Elizabeth
Content	b. 1667, June		
Samuel	b. 1669, Aug. 24	d. 1747, Oct. 27	m. Abigail Clarke
Thomas	b. 1671, Oct. 8	d. 1730, Mar. 22	m. Mehitable Tripp

MARY THURSTON, dau. of Edward Thurston and Elizabeth Mott, was born in Rhode Island Feby. 1657. She married about 1677 Ebenezer Slocum of Jamestown, R. I., and died in Nov. 1732, having borne twelve children. Her will dated Nov. 5, 1729 with codicil dated Nov. 7, 1732 was probated Nov. 22, 1732 and names son-in-law Samuel Dyer as executor.

She gives to son Samuel five shillings; to dau. Desire Dyer my silver tankard, three silver porringers and a silver cordial cup; to son Giles two silver spoons; to son Joseph two silver spoons, a silk grass bed, two cows, twenty sheep, mare, sow, all tools and negro "Fortune"; to dau. Abigail Thomas my wearing apparel; to gr. dau. Patience Carr, dau. of Caleb and to gr. sons Caleb, Joseph and William Carr, to gr. son David Greene, gr. son Ebenezer Slocum, gr. daus. Mary and Ruth Slocum, gr. son Thomas Rogers, gr. eh. William, Rebecca, Benjamin, Hannah, Sarah, Ebenezer and Amy Burling, gr. daus. Mary Carr, Mery Thomas, Elizabeth Thomas and Susanna Green, and to Susanna Thurston, dau. of my bro. Jonathan, each £5.

*Copied in a rush at
Salt Lake City fall 1893 (October)
Did not copy reference #
Caleb got Mott, wife of, etc.
Book:
My Ancestor / My Wife's Ancestors
by — Peine*

Clippings

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Directory of Ancestral Heads 1620-1700

Page 138 by Frank R. Holmes

MARGARET FISHBURNE THURSTON STEVENS

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THURSTON, THIRSTON

The name derived from the hill or town where the Saxon god Thor was worshipped by the Anglo-Saxons.

CHARLES, at Plymouth, Mass., 1643.

DANIEL, granted land Newbury, Mass., 1638.

DANIEL, nephew of the preceding, married Newbury, Mass., 1655.

DANIEL, freeman, Medfield, Mass., 1678.

DANIEL, married Rehoboth, Mass., 1681.

EDWARD, Quaker, came to N. E., 1634. Name first appears in records 1647, at Newport, R. I.

JOHN, granted land Salem, Mass., 1638.

JOHN, carpenter, bapt. Eng., 1601, came from Wrentham, county of Suffolk, Eng., to Dedham, Mass., 1637.

JOHN, freeman Newport, R. I., 1655.

RICHARD, mariner at Salem, Mass., 1637, removed Boston, Mass.

THOMAS, b. Eng., 1649, swore allegiance Hampton, N. H., 1678.

Born in Beaufort, N. C.
Wife of Harold Runyon Stevens

Daughters of American Ancestors
Lineage book 118 page 364

Descendant of Edward Thurston, as follows:

1. Robert Thurston (1870-1921) m. 1898 Claudia Gervais Fishburne (1870-1935).
2. Edward North Thurston (1831-1920) m. 1865 Mrs. Sophia Elizabeth (Hill) Bee (1833-1920).
3. Robert Thurston (1801-41) m. 1830 Eliza Emily North.
4. Samuel Isaac Thurston (1756-1820) m. 1799 Mrs. Jane (Rawlins) Futey (1760-1841).
5. Samuel Thurston (1724-60) m. 1744 Eunice Anthony (1721-77).
6. Edward Thurston (1696-1776) m. 1723 Elizabeth Norton (1707-83).
7. Samuel Thurston (1669-1747) m. 1695 Abigail Clarke (1675-1731).
8. Edward Thurston m. 1647 Elizabeth Mott (1628-94).

Edward Thurston (1617-1707) was Commissioner Assistant and Deputy from Newport, R. I., 1663-1690. He was born in England; died in Newport, R. I.

The above indicates the name was of Saxon origin. Another theory followed

The Norman People published anonymously in London 1874. Reprint 1985 (GPC)

Page 416 says the Norman progenitor was: Under Tostin - expected left Thurston, Tirston, Tatin, Tirstein & Tirstea - variant spellings

Geoffrey, Robert, Nigel and Unfrid Fitz - Tostin were in Normandy 1680-95, as well as Robert and Roger Tostin in 1198.

Robert Thurston was in English rolls in 1272.

(This once coincides with the information in clipping (enclosed) from NEAOL 42:299-30 regarding Norman origin of Daniel Thurston of Newbury MA from Gloucestershire

Book "My Ancestors Came with the Crusaders"

Page 49-50 by Anthony J. Camp (London 1985, GPC reprint 1988)

Mentions many who did & some who are claimed but probably did not, by

of Fitz Reves

1 (Fitz Reves)

4 (Tostein Fitz Rou li Blanc)

7 (Tostein Fitz-Rou)

8 (Tirstein "Fitz de Rou)

Cleveland II 64 (= Fitz Rou)

Tostein Fitz Rou, mentioned by Orderic, was undoubtedly at the Battle, bearing the dual banner. Subsequently he is found holding land on the Welsh Marches. Nothing is known of his father and he seems to have left no issue."

(This book is extremely critical - out of hundreds of claimants, only 15 are admitted as definitely having been there, and Tostein Fitz Rou is 13th on the list of 15. One can be sure he was in the Battle of Hastings, though I personally think they couldn't have won the battle without maybe a thousand troops! Note that Gloucestershire would have been in the Welsh Marches in the 11th, 12th & 13th centuries. He did have descendants - Robert Thurston in 1272, for instance. Whether we could prove descent from him is another matter! rjz.)

from BGP recd June 1992 - with Brownell data g.s.

HUSBAND: Jonathan THURSTON

BORN: [1659]	PLACE:	LDS ORDINANCE DATA
CHR.:	PLACE:	B:
DIED:	PLACE:	E:
BUR.:	PLACE:	SP:
MAR.:	PLACE:	SS:
FATHER:		
MOTHER:		
OTHER WIVES:		

WIFE: Sarah GILES

BORN: [1663]	PLACE:	
CHR.:	PLACE:	B:
DIED:	PLACE:	E:
BUR.:	PLACE:	SP:
FATHER:		
MOTHER:		

OTHER HUSBANDS:

Sex CHILDREN

1. NAME: Mary THURSTON

--- BORN: 20 Mar 1685	PLACE: , Little Compton, Newport, Rhode Island	B: 31 Oct 1892
F CHR.:	PLACE:	E: 24 Apr 1939
DIED: 23 Feb 1740	PLACE: , Dartmouth, Bristol, Massachusetts	SP:
BUR.:	PLACE: Brownell Cem., Westport, Bristol, Massachusetts	
SPOUSE: George BROWNELL		
MAR.: 6 Jul 1706	PLACE: , Little Compton, Newport, Rhode Island	SS: 15 Feb 1966 LA

2. NAME:

--- BORN:	PLACE:	B:
CHR.:	PLACE:	E:
DIED:	PLACE:	SP:
BUR.:	PLACE:	
SPOUSE:		
MAR.:	PLACE:	SS:

3. NAME:

--- BORN:	PLACE:	B:
CHR.:	PLACE:	E:
DIED:	PLACE:	SP:
BUR.:	PLACE:	
SPOUSE:		
MAR.:	PLACE:	SS:

4. NAME:

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DIED:	PLACE:	SP:
BUR.:	PLACE:	
SPOUSE:		
MAR.:	PLACE:	SS:

Codes: AFN=Ancestral File Number B=Baptized E=Endowed SS=Sealed to Spouse SP=Sealed to Parents

THORGAR: Thor's spear, a good shot. TORSLEFF: loved of Thor, brave fighter.

THURSTAN: the stone whereon human victims were slain on Thursday, a priest, takes forms, TUNSTAN, DUNSTAN (St.), DUNSTONE.

TORQUIL: Thor's pledge to fight, *con.* guild.

TRUFFIT (fid. wid.): Thor's wood, priest presiding over his grove=GROVES when not local.

ASTOR (library): Asir Thor, the divine Thor. Thursday born. In the symbolism of the Valhalla, Thorine, strength and fire (active principle), were intimated by placing a flint on a pedestal. In later ages, "The Flindt god was formed lyke the image of death (grim); and naked save only a sheet about him. In his right hand he held a torch, or as they termed it, a fyre blase. On his head a lion rested his two fore feet, standing with one of his hinder feet upon his left shoulder, and with the other in his hand, which to supporte, he lifted up as high as his shoulder."

FLINDT, FLINT: priests of that god. The Asir of judgment was Forceti, whence

FAWCETT, no connection with hawks. There was also a Frissian goddess, Foseta, from whom is derived

FOZIER: priest of Foseta. She it was who gave the primitive name of Heligoland: holy island, viz., Fosetisland: sacred to Foseta. Another member of the Caucasian Olympus was Baldur, the Apollo of the Asirs.

BALDUR: white, beautiful=FLINN, BAIN, BLAKE.

BELISARIUS: white prince (date oboli).

BALDWIN: loved of Baldur, wise. A delusive guess makes it bold victor.

BALDRED: counselling like Baldur, *con.* ALFRED: counselling like an elf.

BALDREY: ruling like Baldur, a wise monarch. Usually given by canting, as *bold king*, or soldier *girded with baldrick*. It is sometimes hard to tell whether certain names are from Bald: bold, *stripped* for battle, or from Baldur. Weland was the Asiric Vulcan, whence

WAYLAND: priest of Weland. Of the great Asir, called Will, we know little, his worship being confined to the prehistoric period, but we do know to him is due the world wide name,

WILLIAM: beloved of Will, *con.* *overwhelm*, and Helmet: a head covering. The name is often given as a form of GILDHELM: a Teuton, who, slaying a legionary, received, medal fashion, a gilded helmet. That guess came of the Romans having no *w*, so that, when the name is Latinised, it stood Guellimus, suggesting gold, but the old Germans went in for isen (iron).

WILLIAM varies to WILLIS, WILES, ULLIN (lord), GUILLOTIN (whence Guillotine), WILKES (democrat), WILL, WILLET, WILLIMOT, WOOLCOCK, WILHELMINA, whence MINIE (rifle), MINNIE (Gray), MINA, WILLOX, WILLOCKS: little Will=the Irish *dim.* ULRIC.

WILLING is a name now in use meaning son of Will, heroic, courageous.

WILLFRITH: loved of Will, bold.

WILFRED (patron of Ripon): counselling like Will, advising to fight, and showing how.

WILLARD (tracts): of Will's nature, brave.

WILLIMAR, WILMER: famous as Will. From him we also have VILLAR, WELLER (when not local), and VILLIERS. Then there was a demi-Asir, like Hercules, known as

MANNUS: the man, by excellence. He had three sons—INGO, ISCO, HERMINO, whence the Ingevones, Isceevones, and Hermiones, ancient German tribes.

INGO: the son, first born=ELAM, gives

INGRAM: Ing's raven, Danish standard bearer.

INGLE: priest of Ingo, being quite unconnected with Ignis: fire.

ISCO: the ash, son of the first man, of the old stock.

HERMINO: man of heer, her, army, warrior=HERMAN.

IRMAN: man of battle fire=BROWN: burning to be at it. Irman was the German's marching god, receiving special honours when the braves began their line of march. To him we owe the name Erming (Street). Nor may we forget the terrible Asir known as Loki. He agrees in certain attributes with

APOLLYON, SIVA: destroyer, and SATAN: adversary. To him was committed the caverns of Mount Caucasus, where those who died of age, disease, or had fainted in battle, or were wounded behind, were confined. With him was associated dread

HELA: coverer, who cast perjurers and cowards into caverns where snakes ever spouted cold poison. Hence our word hell, and the noble name

ELGIN (marbles), for Helgyn, for Hela given. Loki teased gods and men. He was a combination of Mercury and "Jack the giant killer," which latter hero is none other than an embodiment of Lokian exploits made readable. From him we have LOXTON, LOCKSTON: town of Loki, where was his temple.

LOCKHART: Lok or Loki's nature. The legend of Douglas taking Bruce's heart locked in a casket is as true as that

GUTHRIE is *gut three* (fishes), or NAISMITH is nail smith, or equally wrong *nae smith* ava.

LOCKMAN is not lock maker, but very fierce.

See pg 170
from the same
that the name
has been 15
the Germanic
but

Colonel Ingalls resides in Providence, R. I. He is well known in club and military circles in Rhode Island. He is a member of the Loyal Legion, of the Order of Foreign Wars; and of the University, Chess and Rhode Island Churchman's clubs of Providence, and the Officers' clubs at Fort Monroe, Va., and Governor's Island, N. Y.

(The Thurston Line).

The Thurston family in Rhode Island dates from the second decade of the colony's history. Edward Thurston, in 1647, founded in Rhode Island a family which has ramified strongly and has produced in successive generations to the present date many men of wide reputation in professional and civic life. The line herein under consideration, that of the late Hon. Jeremiah Thurston, 1768-1830, Hon. Benjamin Babcock Thurston, 1804-18—, Benjamin F. Thurston, 1829-1890, and John Deshon Thurston, 1842-1909, has been represented in public and legal affairs in Rhode Island, by four of the most talented and brilliant men of the period of a century and a half, which their lives covered. The Thurston family coat-of-arms is as follows:

Arms—Sable a chevron between three bugle-horns stringed or.
Crest—Out of a plume of five ostrich feathers a demi-griffin segreant.
Motto—Thrust on.

(I) Edward Thurston, the founder of the family in America, is first of record in Rhode Island in the year 1647. It is possible that he was there before that date, at least long enough to attend to the preliminaries of his marriage to Elizabeth Mott, daughter of Adam Mott, who came from Cambridge, England, with his wife and several children, in the ship "Defence," in July, 1634. Elizabeth Mott, born in 1629, married Edward Thurston, and the stones of Elizabeth and their sons, Daniel, Samuel, and others, are still standing in the Coddington burying ground in Newport. Their marriage is the third of the record of the Society of Friends at Newport. Edward Thurston became a freeman in 1665, and subsequently rose to prominence in the affairs of the colony. He was commissioner, assistant and deputy to the General Court from Newport at different times between 1663 and 1690. On August 26, 1686, he, with others, signed an address from the Quakers of Rhode Island to the King. He died March 1, 1707, aged about ninety years.

(II) Jonathan Thurston, son of Edward and Elizabeth (Mott) Thurston, was born in Newport, R. I., January 4, 1659. He resided subsequently in Little Compton, R. I., and in Dartmouth, Mass. He married Sarah ———; and probably married a second time. He died in 1740.

(III) Edward (2) Thurston, son of Jonathan Thurston, was born in Little Compton, R. I., October 18, 1679. He married (first) December 19, 1706, Susanna Pearce, daughter of George and Alice (Hart) Pearce. He married (second) Sarah Carr. His will, dated March 20, 1739, was proved at Taunton, May 15, of that year.

(IV) George Thurston, son of Edward (2) and Susanna (Pearce) Thurston, was born at Little Compton, R. I., November 4, 1709. He married (first), December 11, 1729, Keziah ———, and (second) ———

Greene. George Thurston disposed of the Thurston homestead in Little Compton and removed to Hopkinton, R. I.

(V) General George (2) Thurston, son of George (1) and Keziah Thurston, was born in 1741. He was a merchant of note in Rhode Island, and was prominent in military circles. He was given a distinguished command in the American Revolution, with the "Sullivan Expedition." He married (first), February 22, 1766, Dolly Cottrell, who died October 21, 1789. He married (second) Mrs. Sarah Rathbun, who died September 19, 1817. He died November 30, 1827, aged eighty-six years.

(VI) Hon. Jeremiah Thurston, son of General George (2) and Dolly (Cottrell) Thurston, was born in Hopkinton, R. I., May 29, 1768. His early youth embraced the stirring period of the Revolution. He subsequently became a large land-owner and a prominent figure in politics. He was also a merchant in Hopkinton, and his mansion and store were near the then important inn, where stopped the numerous stages running between New London and Providence, on the routes between New York and Boston. He was of the old school of Jeffersonian Democrats, and a vital figure in public affairs in Hopkinton and the surrounding country. Hon. Jeremiah Thurston married, March 1, 1801, Sarah Babcock, daughter of Rowse Babcock (2), of Westerly, the first president of the Washington Bank, of which General George (2) Thurston was one of the founders. Hon. Jeremiah Thurston was elected Lieutenant-Governor of the State of Rhode Island in 1816, and again in 1817. He died March 21, 1830.

(VII) Hon. Benjamin Babcock Thurston, son of Hon. Jeremiah and Sarah (Babcock) Thurston, was born in Hopkinton, R. I., June 29, 1804. He grew to manhood in his father's mansion in Hopkinton, which was the center of a cultured and prominent society composed of many of the foremost men of Rhode Island of the time. The effect of this early environment on his subsequently political and public career was of great value. On the death of his father Benjamin B. Thurston succeeded to his property and mercantile interests in Hopkinton, and shortly afterward became active in public life. In 1838 he was elected Lieutenant-Governor of Rhode Island. He later was elected to Congress, serving from 1847 to 1849, and again from 1851 to 1857. After retiring from public life he devoted his time to the care of his extensive banking and maritime interests. The last years of his life were passed in New London, Conn., but he maintained always a deep interest in Rhode Island.

Hon. Benjamin B. Thurston married (first), March 5, 1828, Harriet E. Deshon, daughter of Daniel and Sarah Deshon, who died November 8, 1832. He married (second), March 12, 1834, Frances E. Deshon, daughter of John and Fanny Deshon, and a descendant of Elder William Brewster; she died May 11, 1865. He died May 17, 1886.

(VIII) Benjamin F. Thurston, son of Hon. Benjamin Babcock and Harriet E. (Deshon) Thurston, was born in Hopkinton, R. I., in 1829. He prepared for the legal profession, and was admitted to the bar in Rhode Island. Within a short period he rose to a place of indisputable leadership in legal circles in Rhode Island,

Judith, again, 14 Apr. 1685. His w. d. 11 July 1689; and he d. 23 June 1713. He was, says the Diary of Sewall, one of two troopers impress. on the first outbreak of Philip's war late in June 1675.

THURSTON, or THURSTON, BENJAMIN, Boston, weaver, perhaps s. of the first John, m. 12 Dec. 1660, Eliz. d. of Robert Walker, had Mary, and Eleazer, tw. b. 24 Apr. 1662; was freem. 1665, one of the founders of the 3d or O. S. ch. ar. co. 1675, in wh. yr. bef. Philip's war, the Gen. Ct. made him ens. and he d. 10 Nov. 1678, of smallpox, says his spec. frd. Ch. Just. Sewall. CHARLES, Plymouth 1643. DANIEL, Newbury, an early sett. hav. gr. of ld. Nov. 1638, whose first w. d. 25 May 1648, and he m. 29 Aug. foll. Ann Lightfoot, perhaps wid. of Francis of Lynn, d. 16 Feb. 1666, without ch. giv. his est. to Daniel T. a kinsman, wh. bef. was call. Daniel jr. DANIEL, Newbury, may have been short time at Ipswich in 1675, was perhaps the legatee of the preced. and may have come with him from Eng. m. 20 Oct. 1655, Ann Pell, perhaps d. of Joseph of Lynn, had Daniel, b. 2 July 1659, unless the yr. be too late by two, d. at 4 mos.; Hannah, 20 Jan. 1659, says Coffin; Daniel, again, 18 Jan. 1661; Sarah, 8 Jan. 1664; Stephen, 25 Oct. 1665; Joseph, 14 Sept. 1667; Ann, 6 Sept. 1669; James, 24 Sept. 1670; Stephen, again, 25 Oct. 1672, d. soon; Stephen, again, 5 Sept. 1674; and Abigail, 17 Mar. 1678; and he d. 19 Feb. 1693. DANIEL, Medfield, freem. 1678, may have been s. of John the first of Dedham. DANIEL, Rehoboth, m. 16 Dec. 1681, Hannah Miller, had Sarah, b. 2 Jan. 1683, posthum. tho. we kn. not the exact time of his d. DANIEL, Newbury, s. of the sec. Daniel, by w. Mary had Daniel, b. 26 June 1690; John, 12 June 1692; Mary, 7 Jan. 1694; Benjamin, 4 May 1695; Hannah, 26 Jan. 1698; Martha, 27 Nov. 1699; and Jonathan, 16 Mar. 1701. His will was pro. 27 Feb. 1637. * EDWARD, Newport, m. June 1647, Eliz. d. of the first Adam Mott, had Sarah, b. 10 Mar. 1648; Eliz. Feb. 1650; Edward, 1 Apr. 1652; Ellen, Apr. 1655; Mary, Feb. 1657; Jonathan, 4 Jan. 1659; Daniel, Apr. 1661; Rebecca, Apr. 1662; John, Dec. 1664; Content, June 1667; Thomas, 8 Oct. 1671. Perhaps his d. Rebecca bec. sec. w. of Weston Clark. He is on the list of freem. 1655, was rep. of Providence 1663, but ret. to N. His d. Elinor m. 1674, George Havens of Portsmouth, R. I. JAMES, Newbury, s. of Daniel the sec. by w. Mary, had Hannah, b. 15 Nov. 1694, d. at 7 yrs.; Dorcas, 20 Oct. 1696; Abner, 28 Feb. 1699; and Phebe, 20 June 1702. JOHN, Salem 1638, had gr. of ld. 1640, possib. but not prob. the same as JOHN, Dedham, wh. was of Wrentham in Co. Suffk. a carpenter, came in the Mary Ann of Yarmouth, 1637, aged, says my transcript of a rec. in Westminster Hall, 30, wh. should be 36, for by the parish reg. of Wrentham I find he was bapt. 13 Jan. 1601, and that would better agree with the age of

his w. Margaret, 32, wh. he brot. with two ch. Thomas, wh. was bapt. 4 Aug. 1633; and John, bapt. 13 Sept. 1635 in Eng.; had here Joseph; Benjamin, b. 8 July 1640, bapt. with Joseph, 13 Sept. foll.; Mary, b. 8 Mar. 1643; and Judith, 29 May 1648. He was freem. 10 May 1643; and his est. was part in Medfield, set off from D. 1651. His w. d. 9 May 1662. * JOHN, Medfield, s. prob. of the preced. brot. from Eng. by his f. 1637, was freem. 1663, and rep. 1683, of wh. we should gladly kn. more, than that he m. Mary, d. of Nicholas Wood. JOHN, Newport, was on the list of freem. 1655. JOSEPH, Newbury, s. of Daniel the sec. m. 1695, Mehitable Kimball. RICHARD, Salem 1637, rem. to Boston, was a mariner, by w. Martha, d. of Christopher Stanley, as we may infer from the will of Susanna Phillips, wh. had been w. of S. had Samuel, b. 11 July 1652, and perhaps others. We may obs. the want of precise use of words, when T. in convey. of part of ship to William Phillips, Sept. 1650, calls him f.-in-law, only bec. he (Phillips) had m. the wid. mo. of vendor's w. * THOMAS, prob. s. of the first John, bapt. in Eng. was of Medfield, m. 13 Dec. 1655, Sarah Thaxter, d. prob. of Thomas of Hingham, had John, b. 4 Mar. 1657; Thomas, 11 Feb. 1659; Nathaniel, 24 Jan. 1661; and others, whose names are not kn. He was a man of much usefult. serg. in 1675, bef. the war, made lieut. in 1678, and rep. 1686, in the last Ct. bef. the abolit. of the good old Chart. Farmer, MS. thinks he must have been the person, wh. had in Apr. of that yr. some votes for Assist. as in Hutch. Coll. 544. THOMAS, a quaker, aged 34, wh. came from London in the Speedwell, 1656, and was sent away in the same sh. THOMAS, Hampton, sw. alleg. 1678, and mark. by Dr. Belkn. 1681, as hav. been b. 1649, wh. was slight ground for fear that he might be the Quaker, wh. emb. 30 May 1656, aged 34, at London, in the Speedwell, and arr. at Boston, 27 July. But this passeng. was prob. ret. by the same vessel; and Belkn. and Farmer, and Geneal. Reg. VII. 203, 4, all spell without s the name of this Hampton man, wh. authority united does not prevail with me. He was Provost marshal in 1684, employ. by the Ct. THOMAS, Wrentham, perhaps s. of the first Thomas, by w. Mehitable, had Mehitable, b. 1 Aug. 1686; Mary, 16 Mar. 1688, d. soon; Thomas, 2 Nov. 1689; Ichabod, 9 Aug. 1692, d. soon; as his mo. had 2 days aft. bring. him into the world; and by w. Esther had David, 20 Nov. 1693; and Daniel, 25 Sept. 1695, perhaps more; and d. 15 Dec. 1704. Five of this name at Harv. and two at Yale had been gr. in 1851.

THURTON. See Thurston.

THWAITS, ALEXANDER, Concord, came in the Hopewell from London, 1635, aged 20, perhaps d. or rem. early, or the giv. of his corn to Rev. P. Bulkley, by our Gen. Ct. in May 1640, is dark. At the East he may be seen sw. alleg. to Charles II. 8 Sept. 1665.

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THURSTON OF NEWBURY.

Communicated by the Hon. ARIEL S. THURSTON, of Elmira, N. Y.

I HAVE received a letter from Sir John Bates Thurston touching the birth-place in England of Daniel Thurston, who had a grant of a "house lott" in Newbury on November 24, 1638.

Considerable effort has been made in endeavoring to trace the birth-place of this Daniel, one of the earliest of the settlers in Newbury. In a letter to myself in September, 1858, James Savage says: "As yet nobody can answer your two points as to the place in England from which your progenitor came, or the ship that brought him."

Joshua Coffin, in 1859, having been requested to give such information as he could touching the birth-place of Daniel, and the ship in which he came, closes a letter by saying, "I have thus filled almost three pages, and have not answered your questions. I wish I could do it."

Two Thurstons by the name of Daniel came to Newbury and settled there. It must have been between the settlement of Newbury in 1635 and the grant of the "house lott" in 1638. These two, we have reason to believe, were uncle and nephew, as in vol. VIII. of the REGISTER, on page 274, it is stated in an ancient Newbury document, as a reason for his incompetency to sign some petition, that "young Daniel Thurston is under his uncle." The uncle had no children, and died in 1666, having made his will in 1665, and given all his estate, after the death of his wife Ann, to his "kinsman Daniel Thurston." Richard Dole was one of the witnesses to the will. Daniel the uncle's "house lott," of which he had a grant, was on Newbury Neck over the Parker River, and next door to John Poor, whose house, built in 1640, is still standing.

The letter of Sir John B. Thurston, of Hants, England, takes the ground, from Richard Dole's being a witness to Thurston's will, and John Poor's being his next-door neighbor, both being from Thornbury in Gloucestershire, that Daniel came from Thornbury. We give such extracts from Sir John's letter as we have space to publish. But it is too long to be inserted at length.

He says, writing from England, October 10, 1887: "Touching your Daniel Thurston, neither I nor any of my family entertain a doubt that he emigrated from our old home at Thornbury, via Bristol. . . . We have held 'Kington' for over 500 years; and it is family history, and part of its religion, that we descend from Turston filz Rose le Blanc Bell crispin Normandy, who carried the standard at Hastings, and was under the conqueror tenant in chief of the lands where we still live."

In the letter of Sir John, of which we have a copy under date of December 4, 1887, after stating that he had been examining the records, he says: "I still adhere to the opinion already expressed, that Daniel Thurston of Newbury was a Gloucestershire man and a collateral member of the Thornbury family. My opinion is founded upon the following considerations:

1. Daniel, or Daniell, was at the period in question and later, a family name.
2. Dole, his friend, was a Thornbury man.
3. Poor, his next neighbor, was, I have the strongest reason to believe, a Thornbury man.

"In examining the ancient Church Register of Thornbury, I find the names of both Dole and Poore, and it is worthy of note that in the beginning and middle of the 17th century, the Poores were a family of Thornbury.

4. Daniel, 'the kinsman,' gave to his son Stephen a 'pt of looms.'—(Brown Thurston's history of the family, page 34.)

"Now at the period under notice, Berkley, Thornbury, and other spots in their neighborhood, were famous for the cloth made there. It was just the part of England from which a person emigrating would take 'looms.'"

Sir John, who had just crossed the continent of America, on his way to England from the Fiji Islands, of which he is governor, thus closes his very beautiful and interesting letter to me, received just after my return from England:

"I am glad you so like this dear old country of ours. During my recent political visit to Washington and my run over Wilmington, Philadelphia, New York, Saratoga, the Lakes, Boston, &c., I have learned to know the real American men and women. The hospitality and friendship shown me I can never forget. I trust that the real, true native-born American will ever dominate in American politics; and that the time will come when, one with us in language, and all the higher aspirations of civilization, we may keep the peace of the world, or at least so much of it as is possessed by English speaking peoples."

See "clippings" page

Example is of
Woman descent
in Gloucestershire &
The family must
have been distinguished
A Quaker would not
likely have been
from the Quaker
community!

There is no known connection between these Thurstons & ours, but see a clue just in case - (see do n't know where in England our ancestral home. This

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Family Record

(Pearce Ancestors)

Family No.

Mott ①

Father - John MOTT

Inhabitant of Portsmouth RI 1638

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth		ca	1570	? Saffron Walden	Essex	England	on that date, the town advised	
Death	5 th after 3 July		1636	Portsmouth		Rhode Island	Holm to provide him a court-jewel	
Buried	(about 56 years old)						conv. He was an invalid cared for	
Married	by		1595				but loved by the town from Aug 1634	
Occupation				Military		Church		
Places Lived								
Other Wives	② Catherine () Mott buried 4 May 1619 ③ Mary () Mott - d after 1625							

Mother - Elizabeth

~~CACT~~

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth			15		? Essex	England		
Death								
Buried	2	Jan	1610	Saffron Walden	Essex	England		
Occupation				Military		Church		
Places Lived								
Other Husbands								

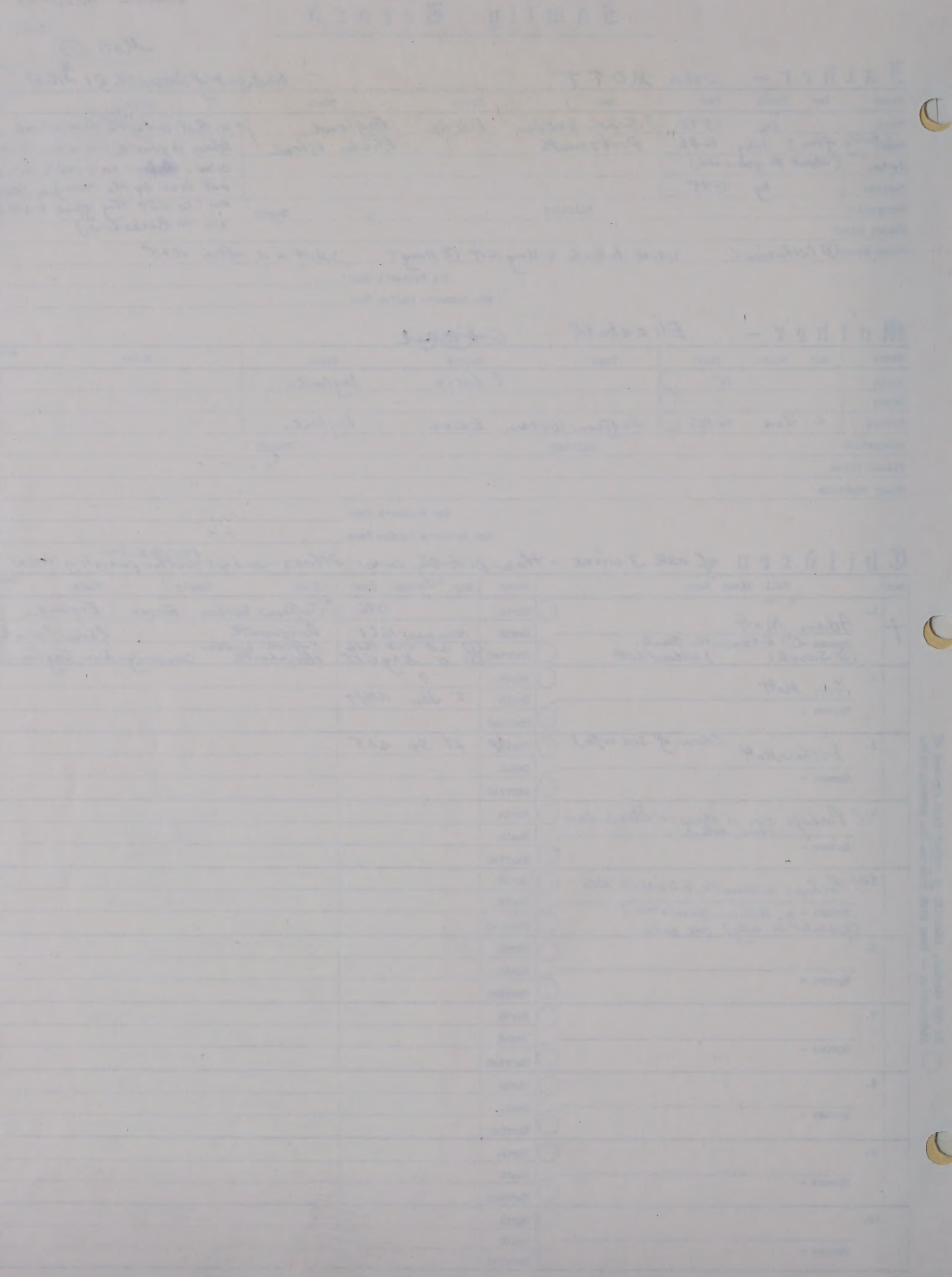
Children of all 3 wives - there probably were others - perhaps recorded in another parish or town

Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
+	Adam Mott Spouse - ① Elizabeth Ouel ② Sarah () widow Mott	Birth			1596	? Saffron Walden	Essex	England	
		Death		Summer	1661	Portsmouth		Rhode Island	
		Married	① 28	Oct	1676	Saffron Walden			
			② 11	May	1675	Hersheoth	Cambridgeshire	England	
2.	Ann Mott Spouse -	Birth			?				
		Death	2 Jan		1616/7				
		Married							
3.	Esther Mott (dau. of 3rd wife) Spouse -	Birth	29 Sep		1625				
		Death							
		Married							
4.	? Perhaps son or dau in Barbadoes (see notes) Spouse -	Birth							
		Death							
		Married							
5?	? Perhaps a daughter Elizabeth etc Spouse - Mr. William Baulstone? (Speculation only) see note	Birth							
		Death							
		Married							
6.	Spouse -	Birth							
		Death							
		Married							
7.	Spouse -	Birth							
		Death							
		Married							
8.	Spouse -	Birth							
		Death							
		Married							
9.	Spouse -	Birth							
		Death							
		Married							
10.	Spouse -	Birth							
		Death							
		Married							

Here is a bit of para speculation:
Re "Mr Baulstone" who cared for John Mott for £4 per year. Who was he? C.A. Torrey "New England Marriages" has the following entries: (P38) Baulstone, William (b 1677? age 78) + Elizabeth () had child 1680; Boston/Portsmouth.
Baulstone, William + (Dau) Elizabeth () (d 1683 age 56) had child 1683; of Boston.
P166) Coggeshall, John (1618/1620-1708) + (Dau) Elizabeth Baulstone - m 17 June 1677, Portsmouth.
Elizabeth Baulstone - m 17 June 1677, Portsmouth.
RI, divorced 25 May 1655. She m ② Thomas Gould ca 1653. That's all the "Baulstones".
Is it possible William B's wife Elizabeth was Adam Mott's sister + that he was thus caring for his father-in-law? John Mott's first wife was Elizabeth; did she have a first wife Elizabeth? Was Elizabeth Gould her Elizabeth? That was Baulstone her great-daughter? That was the old naming pattern.

In the circles, identify by number your sources of information - then list each on the reverse side.

Additional children listed on the reverse side.





researcher who first had night driver some place with her 1900 to 1950 from when they all descended.



The Mott family of Saffron Walden was
also associated with Haverhill & Cambridge

Family Record

(Pearce Ancestors)

Family No.

Father - Adam MOTT

Ship "Defense" 2 July 1635 to Roxbury from Cambridge

Mott (2)

Surname

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source Eng. No.
Birth			1596	? Saffron Walden	Essex	England	with Blaise in church of Rotherham	
Death	Between 2 April & 31 May		1661	Portsmouth		Rhode Island	25 May 1636, left land. Rotherham same year. They escaped. Sept 1638 for religious reasons (Smead had writ) to Portsmouth RI	
Buried								
Married	28	Oct	1616	Saffron Walden	Essex	England		
Occupation	tailor			Military Clerk of military Co. in 1642			Church	Became Quaker (a crime in Mass)
Places Lived	England Essex & Cambs; Roxbury, Hingham, Portsmouth RI - "west side of the spring" - last homestead							
Other Wives	(2) 11 May 1635 Harsheath, Cambridgeshire, widow Sarah Lott (1604 - after 1661)							
(Her only daughter Mary Lott b 1631 came with them on ship)				His Father's Name		John Mott		
				His Mother's Maiden Name		Elizabeth		

Mother - Elizabeth CREELE

Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Notes	Source No.
Birth		ca	1595?	Saffron Walden vicinity?		England		
Death		ca	1633			Essex or Cambridgeshire "		
Buried								
Occupation				Military		Church	? Quakers	
Places Lived								
Other Husbands								
children of Edward and Elizabeth (Mott) Thurston, see Thurston family				Her Father's Name		Creel		
				Her Mother's Maiden Name				

Children

Sex	Full Given Name	Event	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State	Source No.
1.	John Mott	Birth	6 Sep		1618	Saffron Walden	Essex	England	
	Spouse - ()	Death	after		1661	? Black Island		RI	
		Married			16				
2.	Adam Mott	Birth			1623	? Saffron Walden			
	Spouse - Mary Lott, his stepsister (1631 - 1712)	Death	after		1673				
		Married			Oct 1647	Portsmouth		RI	
3.	Jonathan Mott - (freeman, 17 May 1633)	Birth			1626	? Saffron Walden			
	Spouse - ?	Death	before		1661?	? Portsmouth			
		Married			?				
4.	Elizabeth Mott	Birth			1629		(Essex or Cambs.)	England	
	Spouse - Edward Thurston (1617 - 1707)	Death	2 Sep		1684				
		Married			June 1647		(Quaker ceremony)	RI	

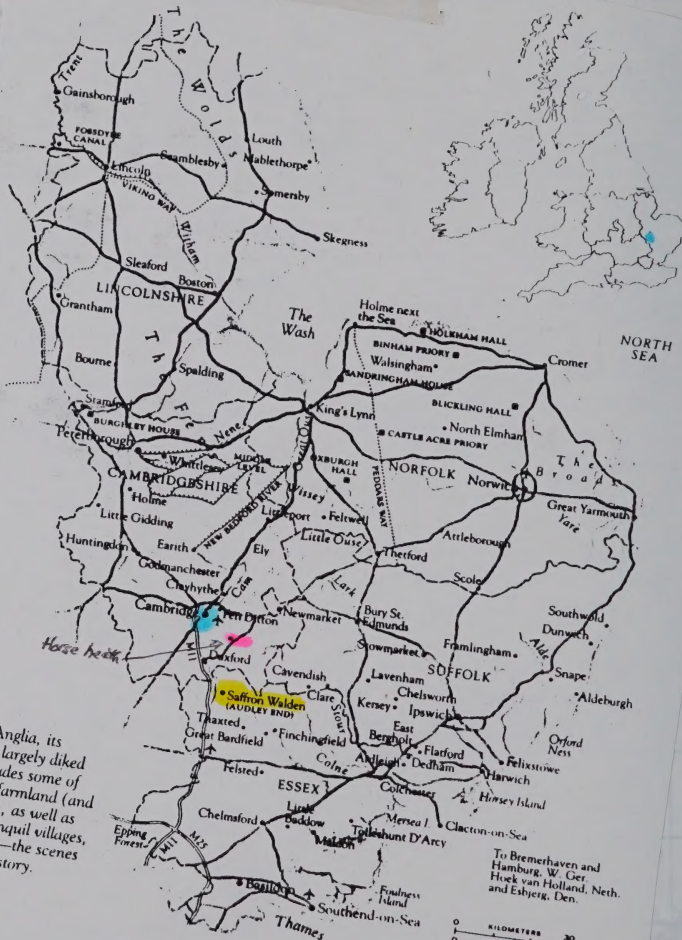
Children of Adam and second wife, Sarah Mott: (Also see Savage Dict pg 247 enclosed for some of Adam's grandchildren. Though they may have been called sons in his will, I wonder if Eleazer and/or Gershom were actually grandsons, or namesakes of previously deceased relatives. Jacob was their son.)

7.	Jacob Mott	Birth			1638	Portsmouth RI or Hingham MA Bay Bl.			
	Spouse - Joanna Sloman (dau. Gt.?)	Death	15 Nov		1711	Newport		RI	
		Married			ca 1669				
8.	Eleazer Mott mentioned in will	Birth							
	Spouse - No further record	Death			after 1661				
		Married							
9.	Gershom Mott (Either namesake of earlier men or late marriage)	Birth							
	Spouse - Sarah ? Clayton	Death			1698	? Portsmouth			
		Married			1696	Portsmouth			

Note: Mott family research is very confusing - not just because of paucity of early RI records but because other Motts came from the same vicinity in England, had the same given names (Adam, John, etc) and settled in Rhode Island as well as Long Island (close to a seafaring people such as they were). I feel that some English researchers who find hard might discover some Adam Mott b. 1596 or 1590 from whom they all descended.

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Low-lying East Anglia, its watery Fens now largely diked and drained, includes some of England's richest farmland (and jolliest scarecrows), as well as sandy beaches, tranquil villages, and fine cathedrals—the scenes of Britain's early history.



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Child, known from Portsmouth records:

2. i. Adam², b. 1596; d. Portsmouth 1661; m. (1) Saffron Walden 28 Oct. 1616 Elizabeth Creel, m. (2) Horseheath, Cambridgeshire, 11 May 1635, Mrs. Sarah Lott.

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He married first, in Saffron Walden, 28 Oct. 1616, Elizabeth Creel, and married second, in Horseheath, Cambridgeshire, 11 May 1635, Mrs. Sarah (--) Lott, whose daughter Mary, born in 1631, came with them to America. Sarah was born about 1604 and survived her husband.

A tailor, he bought testimony from the Justices of the Peace, and a minister in Cambridge, of his conformity, and took the oaths of allegiance and supremacy necessary to embarking on the *Defence* 2 July 1635 for Massachusetts Bay, less than two months after his second marriage. Ages of the family are given in these papers.

He was a freeman in Roxbury, Mass., on 25 May 1636, where he and Sarah were members of the First Church, but he soon moved to Hingham where he had been granted land. With the developing conflict over religion he moved to Portsmouth, R. I., and was admitted as an inhabitant the first year of that settlement, 1638. On the 23rd of June he was granted land on the west side of the spring in Portsmouth, and on 6 Sept. the Hingham constable was directed to bring him before the governor of Massachusetts Bay.

On 12 June 1640 he and others were chosen to lay out lands at Portsmouth. In 1642 he was clerk of the military company. He was deeded an addition to his lot on 27 May 1644, and he granted his son Adam twelve acres 20 Sept. 1652.

The inventory of his estate totaled £372.6s., including house and land, four oxen, five cows, a bull, a horse, one mare, a colt, two calves, thirty ewe sheep, two rams, six swine, £3. in wampum peage, clothes, books, two feather beds, two flock beds, six pewter platters, a wine pot, warming pan, seven pair of sheets, six napkins, two tables, a joint stool, and one and one-half acres of wheat, two of oats, two of peas, and three acres of Indian corn.

Children, by first wife:

- i. John³, bapt. Saffron Walden 6 Sept. 1618; provided 20/- in father's will "if he demand it."
- ii. Adam, m. Oct. 1647 Mary Lott, his stepsister.
- iii. Jonathan, b. 1626; freeman 17 May 1653.
- * iv. Elizabeth, b. 1629; d. 2 Sept. 1694; m. June 1647 Edward¹ Thurston.

Children, by second wife:

- v. Jacob, d. 15 Nov. 1711; m. Joanna Slocum.
- vi. Eleazer.
- vii. Gershom.

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Child, known from Portsmouth records:

2. i. Adam², b. 1596; d. Portsmouth 1661; m. (1) Saffron Walden 28 Oct. 1616 Elizabeth Creel, m. (2) Horseheath, Cambridgeshire, 11 May 1635, Mrs. Sarah Lott.

2. ADAM² MOTT, born probably in Saffron Walden, Essex, England, about 1596, died in Portsmouth, Rhode Island, in 1661, after he made his will on the 2nd of April and before it was proven on the 31st of August.

He married first, in Saffron Walden, 28 Oct. 1616, Elizabeth Creel, and married second, in Horseheath, Cambridgeshire, 11 May 1635, Mrs. Sarah (-) Lott, whose daughter Mary, born in 1631, came with them to America. Sarah was born about 1604 and survived her husband.

A tailor, he bought testimony from the Justices of the Peace, and a minister in Cambridge, of his conformity, and took the oaths of allegiance and supremacy necessary to embarking on the *Defence* 2 July 1635 for Massachusetts Bay, less than two months after his second marriage. Ages of the family are given in these papers.

He was a freeman in Roxbury, Mass., on 25 May 1636, where he and Sarah were members of the First Church, but he soon moved to Hingham where he had been granted land. With the developing conflict over religion he moved to Portsmouth, R. I., and was admitted as an inhabitant the first year of that settlement, 1638. On the 23rd of June he was granted land on the west side of the spring in Portsmouth, and on 6 Sept. the Hingham constable was directed to bring him before the governor of Massachusetts Bay.

On 12 June 1640 he and others were chosen to lay out lands at Portsmouth. In 1642 he was clerk of the military company. He was deeded an addition to his lot on 27 May 1644, and he granted his son Adam twelve acres 20 Sept. 1652.

The inventory of his estate totaled £372.6s., including house and land, four oxen, five cows, a bull, a horse, one mare, a colt, two calves, thirty ewe sheep, two rams, six swine, £3. in wampum peage, clothes, books, two feather beds, two flock beds, six pewter platters, a wine pot, warming pan, seven pair of sheets, six napkins, two tables, a joint stool, and one and one-half acres of wheat, two of oats, two of peas, and three acres of Indian corn.

Children, by first wife:

- i. John³, bapt. Saffron Walden 6 Sept. 1618; provided 20/- in father's will "if he demand it."
ii. Adam, m. Oct. 1647 Mary Lott, his stepsister.
iii. Jonathan, b. 1626; freeman 17 May 1653.
* iv. Elizabeth, b. 1629; d. 2 Sept. 1694; m. June 1647 Edward¹ Thurston.

Children, by second wife:

- v. Jacob, d. 15 Nov. 1711; m. Joanna Slocum.
vi. Eleazer.
vii. Gershom.

the first settlers of Hingham, with the year in which lands were granted them in the town :

1635.	John Porter,	John Foulsham,
Joseph Andrews,	Henry Rust,	Henry Chamberlin,
Thomas Chubbuck,	John Smart,	Stephen Gates,
Henry Gibbs,	Francis Smith,	George Sprague,
Edmund Hobart, sen.	John Strong,	Thomas Cooper,
Edmund Hobart, jr.,	Henry Tuttil,	Matthew Cushing,
Joshua Hobart,	William Walton,	John Beal, jr.,
Rev. Peter Hobart,	Thomas Andrews,	Francis James,
Thomas Hobart,	William Arnall,	Philip James,
Nicholas Jacob,	George Bacon,	James Buck,
Thos. Lincoln, weav.	Nathaniel Baker,	Stephen Payne,
Ralph Smith,	Thomas Collier,	William Pitts,
Jonas Austin,	George Lane,	Edward Mitchell,
Nicholas Baker,	George Marsh,	John Sutton,
Clement Bates,	Abraham Martin,	Stephen Lincoln,
Richard Betscome,	Nathaniel Peck,	Samuel Parker,
Benjamin Bozworth,	Richard Osborn,	Thos. Lincoln, farm.,
William Buckland,	Thomas Wakely,	Jeremiah Moore,
James Cade,	Thomas Gill,	Mr. Henry Smith,
Anthony Cooper,	Richard Ibrook,	Bozoan Allen,
John Cutler,	William Cockerum,	Matthew Hawke,
John Farrow,	William Cockerill,	William Ripley,
Daniel Fop,	John Feuring,	John Buck,
Jarvice Gould,	John Tucker,	Thomas Jones,
Wm. Herscy,	(1636)	Thomas Lawrence,
Nicholas Hodskin,	John Beal, senr.,	John Stephens,
Thomas Johnson,	Anthony Eames,	John Stoddard,
Andrew Lane,	Thomas Hammond,	Wid. Martha Wilder,
Wm. Large,	Joseph Hull,	Thomas Thaxter,
Thomas Loring,	Richard Jones,	1639.
George Ludkin,	Nicholas Lobdin,	Anthony Hilliard,
Jeremy Morse,	Richard Langer,	John Prince.
William Nowlton,	John Leavitt,	
John Otis,	Thomas Lincoln,	
David Phippeny,	Adam Mott,	
John Palmer,	Thomas Minard,	
		1637.
	Thomas Barnes,	
	Josiah Cobbit,	
	Thomas Chafie,	
	Thomas Clapp,	
	William Carlisle,	
	Thomas Dimock,	
	Vinton Drence,	
	Thomas Helt,	
	Thomas Joshlin,	
	Aaron Ludkin,	
	John Morrick,	
	Thomas Nichols,	
	Thomas Paynter,	
	Edmund Pitts,	
	Joseph Phippeny,	
	Thomas Shave,	
	Ralph Smith,	
	Thomas Turner,	
	John Tower,	
	Joseph Underwood,	
	William Ludkin,	
	Jonathan Bozworth.	
	1638.	
	Mr. Robert Peck,	
	Joseph Peck,	
	Edward Gilman,	

In 1635, Rev. Peter Hobart and his associates from Hingham, in the county of Norfolk, in England, began a settlement in this town at a place called *Bear Cove*, which was afterwards called Hingham. "The house-lots of the settlers, as already stated, were drawn 18 September, 1635. The Rev. Peter Hobart was there on that day, and drew a lot with the twenty-nine." Mr. Hobart continued to discharge the duties of his office till his death, in 1679, at the age of seventy-five. He was a man of piety and talents, and had four sons, who all became respectable ministers. Rev. John Norton was ordained colleague pastor with Mr. Hobart a few months before his decease. Mr. Norton died in 1716, and was succeeded by Rev. Ebenezer Gay, who continued in the ministry nearly sixty-nine years, and died in 1787, at the age of nearly ninety-one years. Rev. Henry Ware, D. D., the successor of Mr. Gay, was ordained about seven months of his decease, and continued about eighteen years, when he resigned to accept the Hollis professorship of divinity in Harvard University. Rev. Joseph Richardson, his successor, was settled in 1806. The *Second* church in Hingham was formed in 1745; Rev. Daniel Shute, D. D., their first minister, was ordained the next year. He was pastor here more than fifty-five years. His sight failing him, he ceased from his public labors in 1799, and died in 1802. Dr. Shute had a seat in the convention which formed the Constitution of the United States. Rev. Nicholas B. Whitney succeeded Dr. Shute in 1800. The *Third* church was formed in 1807, and Rev. Henry Colman, the first minister, was ordained the same year. Rev. Charles Brooks, the next minister, was ordained in 1821.

The following is a representation of the ancient Congregational church in the village of Hingham, the oldest house of worship now



Southern view of Hingham Church.

standing in New England. It was erected in 1680, was 55 feet in length, 45 in breadth, and the height of the posts was 20 feet. It cost the town the sum of £430 and the old house. Two additions have been made to the building; the first about the year 1730, and the second in 1755. These additions were made, however, without materially altering the external appearance and form of the house. It is yet in a good state of preservation, and its frame of oak bears no mark of dilapidation or decay. It cannot now be ascertained at what particular time the first meeting-house was erected; it was, however, a small building, surrounded by a palisado, for the protection of the worshippers from Indian assault. Its situation was very near, if not the spot, on which the post-office now stands, near the academy. Around it, upon the declivities of the hill, the dead were buried, where, after a repose of nearly two centuries, they were disturbed by the march of improvement. "The meeting-house is gone—the soil upon which it rested is gone—the worshippers are gone. Not a solitary monument points out the spot where were deposited the remains of the brave, the virtuous, the learned, who laid the foundation of our social improvements and religious blessings."

The village of Hingham is built at the head of a bay, which is an arm of the great bay of Massachusetts. Owing to its situation, it is rather irregularly built, embracing within its limits a number of sandy elevations. The township is seven miles in length, and about five in breadth. The soil in many parts of the town is rich and fertile. There are in Hingham 1 woollen factory, an iron foundry, a brass foundry, and salt works. In addition to these there is the usual variety of mechanical works, as is found in most

Note: The Hobarts were our Dodge family relatives. Adam Mott soon (1638) escaped from Hingham—the sheriff was after him—religious reasons!

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MOTT, Adam (1596-1661) & 1/wf Elizabeth CREEL; 28 Oct 1616, in Eng, b 1621; Roxbury/Hingham/Portsmouth, RI
 MOTT, Adam (1596-1661) & 2/wf Sarah [LOTT] (1604-), wid; in Eng, b 1633, 11 May 1635, 7 Oct 1647; Roxbury/Hingham/Portsmouth, RI
 MOTT, Adam (1619-1686) & 1/wf Jane/Jenne HEWLET/HALLET/HULET?; 28 Jul 1647; New York/Hempstead, LI/Staten Island
 MOTT, Adam (-1673+) & Mary LOTT (1631-1712); Oct 1647; ?Portsmouth, RI
 MOTT, Adam (1619-1686) & 2/wf [BOWNE]; ca 1667?; NY
 MOTT, Adam (1619-1686) & 3/wf Elizabeth TREDMAN, m/2 Robert HUBS/HOBBS bef 1691; t 1670, 22 Nov 1667?; ?Mamaroneck, NY
 MOTT, Adam (1649-), Hempstead & Mary STILLWELL, Gravesend; m lic 9 Jul 1678; ?Hempstead, LI
 MOTT, Charles (1676-1740) & Elizabeth [?]; ca 1694-5; Hempstead, LI/(Cow Neck)
 MOTT, Ebenezer (-1713, 1736?), Scituate & Grace VINALL, Scituate; 19 Feb 1700, 1699-1700 Scituate

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MOTT, ADAM, Hingham, a tailor, from Cambridge, Eng. came in the Defence 1635, aged 39, with w. Sarah, 31, and ch. John, 14; Adam, 12; Jonathan, 9; Eliz. 6; and Mary, 4; was first of Roxbury, freem. 25 May 1636; perhaps dissatisf. as a friend of Hutchinson, went 1638 to Rh. Island with fam. there had, perhaps, more ch. and was with Adam jr. John, and Jonathan, perhaps his s. liv. at Portsmouth, as freem. 1655. ADAM, Portsmouth, R. I. s. of the preced. m. Oct. 1647, Mary Lott, had Adam, b. Sept. 1650; Mary, 1 Jan. 1656; Sarah, 11 Oct. 1657; Eliz. 9 Aug. 1659; Phebe, 20 Aug. 1661; Bethia, 1 Apr. 1664; Abigail, 3 May 1666; and John, 1 Jan. 1671. JACOB, Newport, perhaps s. of the first Adam, by w. Joanna had Hannah, b. Nov. 1663; Mercy, 8 Jan. 1666; Sarah, 3 Feb. 1670; Eliz. 12 Sept. 1672; and Samuel, 4 Sept. 1678. JOHN, Newport, perhaps br. of the first Adam, sign. the compact at the same time with him, July 1638, was of Block isl. or one of the same name, 1684. NATHANIEL, Scituate, able to bear arms 1643, rem. to Braintree, m. 1656, Hannah Shooter, had Nathaniel, b. 28 Dec. 1657. A Margaret M. came in the Speedwell, 1656, aged 12.

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ADAM Came over with family on "Defence" 1635. Newbury (Mass.) 638, New Amsterdam 1647, Hempstead 1657. d. by 9 Apr 1690. Tailor on list. Not of Rhode Island. Adam and Anne Mott 1890. Descendants of Adam Mott of Hempstead (pamph.) 1906; Stillwell. Miscellany 4:71; Record 45:117 (caveat); tag 5:108 (clue).

JOHN Born ca 1570. Saffron Walden, co. Essex, Eng.. 1611. Portsmouth R.I.) 1638. Living 3 July 1656. tag 20:227 n. 35:107 (n. caveat son Adam).

NATHANIEL Scituate (Mass.) 1643, Braintree 1656. Killed Braintree by Indians 23 Feb 1675/6. Register 67:24 (desc).

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French word signifying a round artificial hill.

ADAM, tailor, b. Eng. 1596, admitted freeman Roxbury, Mass., 1636; later at Hingham, Mass.; at Portsmouth, R. I., 1638.

NATHANIEL, able to bear arms at Scituate, Mass., 1643; removed Braintree, Mass., 1656.

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The NORMAN PEACE - pub. anon

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 (Regarding origins of Norman families in England.)

Mott. See MOUAT.

Motte, for MOUAT.

Mouat. Philip Moaz or Moats, Normandy 1180-95 (MRS). The fief of Mouet at Apreville mentioned t. Philip Augustus.

Pioneers of Massachusetts by Charles H. Pope

MOTT, MOTE,

Adam, tailor, ae. 39, with wife Sarah, ae. 31, and children John, ae. 14, Adam, ae. 12, Jonathan, ae. 9, Elizabeth, ae. 6, and Mary, ae. 4, came in the Defence in July, 1635. Settled at Roxbury; frn. May 25, 1636. Rem. to Hingham; called to Gen. Court 6 (7) 1638.

Nathaniel, Scituate, atba. 1643; served against the Narragansetts in 1645. He m. at Braintree 25 (10) 1656, Hannah, widow of Peter Shooter; ch. Nathaniel b. 28 (10) 1657, d. 13 (1) 1660, John b. 19 (6) 1659, Mary b. 15 (10) 1664, a dau. b. 5 (12) 1666, Elizabeth b. 17 (3) 1671, Experience d. 24 (10) 1672, Edward b. 11 (3) 1673, Ebenezer b. 7 (10) 1675.

He was killed by the Indians Feb. 23, 1675.

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Refers to a Quaker, Joseph Mott (1661-1735) one of the petitioners of St George Church, at Hempstead LI in 1735. He was son of Adam Mott of Hempstead, b Essex Co England 1621, d No. Hempstead LI 1689.

Note by NZ - Torrey says that Adam b 1619 d 1686 had 3 exors whom he names. This Joseph evidently was from the first, Jane Hewlet, a Hallett, and had had a brother Adam. This makes 4 Quaker Adam Motts

1. Our Adam Mott (1596-1661) b Essex Co Eng.
2. His son Adam Mott, Jr (1622 d after 1673) b Essex Co Eng.
3. Their Adam Mott (1619-1686) b Essex Co Eng
4. His son Adam Mott, Jr (1649-) b Hempstead LI

The similarity is eerie unless there was a grandfather or great grandfather of them all, back in Co. Essex Eng!

These Motts were very alike. In those days the sea was the highway. There was much sailing between RI, CT & Long Island (claimed by both English & Dutch).

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Coat of Arms at left copied from plate in
Berke - "The Landed Gentry - American Families"
It is purposed to be of an Mott family but
no authority cited. This type of crescent and
shield was worn by many settled families.
Moss tried to insert them and was refuted
by Charles Mott. Van der Mott in
force that early?

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Elizabeth (Mott) Thurston, born February 1, 1657,
and died November 16, 1752. Their son:

SAMUEL SLOCUM, born March 2, 1684, and died in
1741, married January, 1708, *Hannah*, daughter of
Edward and Hannah (Stanton) Carr, who was born
October 13, 1691. (She married second, Samuel Wat-
son). Their daughter, *Hannah*, married THOMAS
HAZARD.

THURSTON-MOTT

EDWARD THURSTON, born 1617, in England, and
died at Newport, R. I., March 1, 1707, was a Free-
man 1655, Deputy for Newport and Governor's As-
sistant, holding each office several years, in the period
between 1667 and 1691. He signed an address, with
others, from the Quakers of Rhode Island to the King,
on August 26, 1686. His marriage to Elizabeth,
daughter of Adam Mott, took place in June, 1647.
She was born 1629, in Newport, R. I., and died Septem-
ber 2, 1694. Adam Mott was born in Cambridge,
Eng., 1596, and his will was dated and proved 1661.
He was a sailor and came as a passenger in the ship
Defense, July 2, 1635. Became a Freeman and a mem-
ber of the First Church in Roxbury, and then removed
to Hingham, where he had a grant of land. In 1638
he was in Portsmouth, R. I., and a Freeman there 1641.
He was clerk of the Military Company 1642. *Mary*,
daughter of Edward and Elizabeth (Mott) Thurston,
married EBENEZER SLOCUM.

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ADAM MOTT came from Cambridge, Eng., July 2, 1635 in the ship "Defense", aged 39, with his wife Sarah, aged 31, and ch. John 14, Adam 12, Jonathan 9, Elizabeth 6 and Mary Lott 4, dau. of his wife by her former husband. He brought testimony from a Justice of the Peace and from a minister in Cambridge of conformity to orders and discipline of Church of England, and that he had taken oath of allegiance and supremacy. He and his wife were members of the First Church of Roxbury, and he was made freeman May 25, 1636. He soon moved to Hingham, where he had a grant of land. He prepared to move to Portsmouth, R. I. in 1638, probably for religious reasons, and so escaped the constable of Hingham who had a writ Sept. 6, 1638 to attach him and bring him before the Gov. or some one of the Council.

Jan. 12, 1640 he was chosen with others to lay out land at Portsmouth. He was freeman in 1641, and Clerk of the Military Company in 1642. He died in 1661. His will dated Apl. 2, 1661 was probated Aug. 31, 1661, and names wife Sarah as executrix and Edward Thurston and Richard Tew as overseers; mentions sons Jacob, Eleazer and Gershom. Those who enjoy the land are to pay son John twenty shillings. He gives to son Adam an ewe lamb; to Elizabeth Thurston, wife of Edward Thurston, an ewe lamb; to Edward Thurston and Richard Tew, an ewe lamb each.

Inventory, £372: 6, viz., house and land, £150; 4 oxen, 5 cows, bull, horse, mare, colt, 2 calves, 30 ewe sheep, 2 rams, 6 swine, wampum peage £3, wearing clothes, books, 2 feather beds, 2 flock beds, 6 pewter platters, wine pot, warming pan, 7 pair sheets, 6 napkins, 2 tables, joint stool, 1½ ac. wheat, 2 ac. oats, 2 ac. peas, 3 ac. Indian corn.

Children.

John	b. 1621		
Adam	b. 1623	d. 1673	m. Mary Lott, his step sister.
Jonathan	b. 1626		
✓ Elizabeth	b. 1629	d. 1694, Sept. 2,	m. Edward Thurst- ton.
By second wife			
Jacob	b. 1638	d. 1711 Nov. 15,	m. Johanna Slocum
Eleazer			
Gershom		d. 1698	

ELIZABETH MOTT was born in England in 1629. She was married in June, 1647 to Edward Thurston of Newport, R. I. and died Sept. 2, 1694, having borne twelve children.

July,
1847

The house and barn that was in partnership between my father and my uncle Wadsworth at Farmington was finished in the year 1642.

"The Hay Barn standing on the north end of the great Barn next Capt. Allyn's garden was built in the year 1644. The west end of that house we live in which was belonging to my honored deceased Father Talcott was built in the year 1645.

"My Uncle Mr. Mott sold my Hon^d Father Talcott his house that he lived in in Braintry in old England per order in the year 1644, my Father Talcott then living in this house in Hartford.

"The prison house or common Goal for the Colony was built in Hartford in the year 1641.

"The meeting house or first Church built in Hartford was in the year 1638.

"The Pequot war was in the year 1637 at the English's almost first coming to Connecticut."

Mr. Savage, in his Genealogical Dictionary, says of the family of Talcott:—"John of Cambridge 1632 came that year in the Lion," &c. "is said to have m. *Dorothy, daughter of Benjamin Smith,*" &c.

I believe that Mr. Savage is mistaken in regard to the name of the person John Talcott married, for these reasons:

There is no evidence that I am aware of, to prove that his wife's maiden name was Smith.

Dorothy his wife, in her will, says, "I do give and bequeath unto my son Samuel a pair of Holland pillow beers and a pair of sheets belonging to the bed his father gave him, marked with M in blue." From this I judged that her maiden name began with an "M," but could find nothing to corroborate the supposition, till I discovered the above memorandum by her son John relative to "My Uncle Mr. Mott."

As John Talcott came from Braintree, and as I find Mark Mott lived there about the time John Talcott left that place, and had a daughter *Dorothy*, the presumption is pretty strong that her maiden name was Mott, and that she was the daughter of Mark Mott, D.D., and Mercy his wife.

In Wright's History of the County of Essex, England, will be found, in substance, the following genealogy of the Motts of that county:

JOHN MOTT had lands in Shalford in 1375.

THOMAS MOTT, of Braintree, married Alice Mead, and had sons John (1), Mark (2).

1. JOHN MOTT married in 1557, Catharine Roke, who died in 1571, and he then married Joan, sister of Sir Robert Gardiner, President of Ireland in the time of Queen Elizabeth. By this wife he had a daughter Mary, who married a son of Judge Clench, of Hollbrook, in Suffolk. They had a son Captain Robert Clench. John Mott died 1595; Joan his wife, 1602.

2. MARK married Frances —, by whom he had six sons and three daughters: John (3), Adrian (4), Mark (5), Mark (6), Joseph (7), and Edward; Mary, d. young: a second Mary, who died in 1610, and Sarah who married, first, Robert Tasborough. 1614, and second, Sir John Henley. He was the ultimate heir of his father, Thomas Mott, and purchased Sheme Hall, Lexden Hundred, in

1599. Mark Mott died in 1637, and was buried at Braintree. Frances his wife died in 1615.

3. JOHN MOTT, the eldest son of Mark, married Alice Harrington, and had six children, viz.: Thomas, who married Sarah Brand, no issue; Mark, who had a son John; Alice; Mary; John and James.
4. ADRIAN MOTT, second son of Mark, married Jane Wade, and had Adrian and John. He married in 1604, for his second wife, Katharine Kemp, and had Mark, who married Ann, daughter of Robert Dove; Frances, who married John Clopton; Mary, who married Thos. Kemp, and Adrian Mott, of Braintree, buried there in 1662.
6. MARK MOTT, the fourth son of Mark, was a D.D., and Rector of Rayne. He married Mercy, daughter and heir of William Tichbourne, of Hampshire, Minister of Romford, and had Mercy; Frances; Henry, buried at Braintree in 1634; *Dorothy*; Ann; Mark; Mary; and Sarah, who only lived a few days. Mercy, the wife of Dr. Mark Mott, died in 1627. Dr. Mark Mott died 1630. He possessed large estates in Essex, and left by will that of "Great Birch," Lexden Hundreds, a very valuable and large property, and of great antiquity and celebrity, to his three youngest daughters, Dorothy, Ann, and Mary, who were possessed of it in 1635. In 1669 these estates belonged to Thomas Kemp, clerk.

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I don't know whether these Motts are En, but they came from the same part of England as our Motts

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Notes

Infant born July the 3 day died 8 of the same 1802

Charity Hathaway born November the 4d 1804

Tabby Hathaway born November 3 day 1806

Abigail Hathaway born December 25 day 1807

Infant born January 31 day died 1809

Infant born January 1 day died 1811

Infant born february the 27 died 1812

Lemuel W Hathaway born the 5 August 1813

Infant born the 19 day of october 1815

James E. Hathaway born the 20 d of Eight Month 1817

[Lemuel Hathaway, a Quaker, b. in Dartmouth, Mass., 25 April 1777, d. in Temple Maine, 26 Dec. 1862, aged 85, bur. there in the Hill Cemetery, son of Edward and Tabitha (Bardin) Hathaway, and a descendant of Francis Cooke and Richard Warren of the Mayflower. He m. in Dartmouth, 10 Aug. 1794, Abigail Mott, b. there 3 July 1774, d. in Temple 26 Aug. 1874, aged 100 years 1 month 23 days, bur. in said Cemetery, daughter of Adam and Rachel (Rider) Mott. Their daughter, Sally Hathaway (1795-1855), m. (1), Capt. Jethro Mosher, who was lost at sea (vide the Mosher and the Hathaway Notes recently presented by Mrs. Clark to the Society).]

later RMR

Great grandson from Adam?

Births

Deaths*

Reuben Jones Was Born 12th 19th 1787

Livinia Jones Was Born 12th 22^d 1789

Their Childrens Births

Mary Jones Was Born 12th 27^d 1811

Lydia Jones Was Born 3rd 21st 1813

Betsy Jones Was Born 10th 8th 1814

Levi Jones Was Born 9th 8th 1816

Reuben Jones Was Born 3rd 23 1819

Abigail Farmer died February 4 1846

Isaac Hathaway December 11, 1847

Abram Farmer Died April 12th 1851

Sally Moore Died July 6th 1855 Aged 60 years 2 months 4 days

Lemuel W. Hathaway Died 11th Feb 17, 1856, Aged 43 yrs 3^{mo} 12^{da}

Martin J. B. Farmer Died Dec 30 1857 Aged 23 yrs

Lemuel Hathaway Died Dec 26 1862 Aged 84 years 8 months

Abigail Hathaway died Aug 26 1874 Aged 100 years 1 month 23 days

Herbert Ellsworth Farmer died Dec. 6, 1932

Abram Farmer married Charity Hathaway [no date]

Son

John Farmer dead

married

Emily J (Farmer) [?] Dascombe died [blurred] 1922

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Mott Crest

(This is a different man with the same name as our Adam Mott - but notice the similar English background! I think the author confused the two men!)
 When Adam Mott and Jane Hulet decided to tie on the matrimonial bonds, it is doubtful that they had any idea as to the future of their many descendants. Adam was a tailor by trade, and had arrived in New Amsterdam in 1635 from Essex, England on the good ship "Defence". Jane, also English, had hailed from Buckingham.

He was the progenitor of the American line of Motts and what biblical comparisons to the beginning of humankind and the start of a notable American line will be left to the imagination of the reader!

His forefathers had come from France where their name was De La Motte as far back as the 11th century. The name was Anglicized to Mott shortly thereafter; the reason being that some of the men did not like being referred to as "the dweller at the mound" as it was then translated!

In the 13th and 14th centuries, Adam's ancestors had made their home at Barningham Hall in Essex and later on, moved to the Sussex-Walron area of England.

Adam was a landowner before he married Jane. The Dutch government had granted him 25

gans (50 acres) of land out at Maspeth Kill, later known as Newton Creek. They stayed there for about eight years before moving out to Hempstead, Long Island. Believing that Adam was a good risk and a man of sound character, his neighbors voted him in as a townsman in charge of the village Commons. No doubt they had little choice as the Mott homestead sat on the same section of land where the Commons was located! No slouches, these Colonials!

But Adam pitched in and did his part for the town. He got involved as a juror in a particularly explosive trial involving the theft of some chickens! In those days, when there was a town meeting or a fire drill or general call to arms, a bell was rung to alert the local populace. Hempstead didn't have a bell so they bought a drum and certain of the village leaders assumed the responsibility for it.

It must have been a busy few days in 1659 when the town shelled out 6 shillings to Adam for four days of drum beating!

Most of Adam's neighbors were Dutch and it was felt that there was some difficult days ahead for the two nationalities. It wasn't any secret that the

English regarded the Dutch as trespassers and for the latter's days in the area were numbered.

Things were heating up between the two groups and Adam was chosen as one of the Deputies to meet with a committee from the Dutch towns to determine the future of contact between the nationalities.

The meeting convened at Hempstead. Mott, Daniel Denton and John Underhill represented the English, while Van Cortlandt, Her Bacher and John Lawrence stood for the Dutch.

Both sides agreed not to exercise jurisdiction for at least one year until the King and the State General hammered out a way to keep the two groups from killing each other!

So, in April, 1664, there was convened a great "Landtag" or convention regarding the land. In most political conventions go, it was a bust and dissolved without doing anything to avert the impending fate of the colonies.

This meeting gave truth to the old adage: "A conference is a gathering of important people who, singly, can do nothing but together can decide that nothing can be done!"

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JOHN SUMNER WOOD, SR.

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(3) Son of -----; B. 1---; Of New Sharon & Easton, Me.; M. 18--; Sarah Cochran, b. 1804, Jan. 30

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(5) Son of -----; B. 18--; Of Guyandotte, W. Va. & Lawrence Co., Ohio; M. 1863, Oct., Harriet N. Trowbridge, b. 1838, Dec. 15, dau. of Nathaniel & Zekda (Miller) Trowbridge

(6) Son of Elijah (39) & Lucinda (-----); B. 18--; Of Murray, N.Y.; D. bef. 1864

(7) Dau. of -----; B. 1800-1810; Of Homer, N.Y., 1830, with wife, 20-30

ANSELM WOOD

(1) Son of Amos (30) & Sarah (Sadler); B. 1780, Aug. 4; Of Upton, Mass.

ANSON WOOD

(1) Son of Orrin (5) & Bethiah (-----); B. 18--; Of Catskill & Webster, N.Y.

(3) Son of Ebenezer (58) & -----; B. 17-- (after 1775); Of Pompey, N.Y., 1810, 1-1-0-1-0; M. 18--; Elizabeth

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(10) Son of Anthony (9) & Anna (-----); B. 17--; Of Ballston, N.Y., 1831

(11) Son of Olney (2) & -----; B. 17--; D. bef. Dec. 13, 1834; Of Warwick & Scituate, R.I., Grantee, Warwick, 1818; M. 18--; Lydia Barnes, Liv. 1845; Ch: William (61); Harriet (11); Roba (11)

ANTIPAS WOOD

(1) Son of William (148) & Elizabeth (Gale); B. 1789, May 27; Westboro, Mass.

ANTOINETTE WOOD

(1) Dau. of James (63) & Anna (Greenleaf); B. 18--; Of Starks, Me., 1895; M. 18--; Smith Norton

(2) Dau. of David (13) & Rebecca (King); B. 1817, June 24; D.A.R. 1890-1902

APOLLONIA WOOD

(1) Dau. of Abner (18) & Cynthia (Gustin); B. 1831, Oct. 4; D. 1893, Mar. 21; Of Antwerp, N.Y. & So. Milwaukee, Wis.; M. 1851, July 30, Henry Towle

APPHIA WOOD

(1) Dau. of Amos (23) & Susanna (Bailey); B. 1798; Of Rowley, Mass. & Jackson-ville, Ohio, 1846.

ARABELLA WOOD

(1) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Hempstead, N.Y.; M. 1734, Oct. 5, Joseph Shelley

(2) Dau. of Thomas (253) & Susan E. (Buchanan); B. 18--; Of Camden, Me., D.A.R. 105976; M. 18--; Frank E. Wilson

ARAD WOOD

(1) Son of -----; B. 18--; "Arad T.";

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(11) Son of Nathan (77) & -----; B. 1837, Mar. 8; "Russell G."; Of Westport, Mass. Rec.
(12) Son of David (108) & -----; B. 17--; Of Springfield & Holyoke, Mass. (Cutter, 1908); M. 18--; Eunice Boyd; Ch: Edwin (19); John (685); Amos (44); Norris (1); Eliza (48); Harriet (49)
(13) Son of Jesse (47) & Mary (Wells); B. 18--; Of Jeff. Co., N.Y.; M. 18--; Sarah Pool

RUTH WOOD

(1) Dau. of Obadiah (1) & Margaret (Slu); B. 16--; D. 16--; Of Ipswich, Mass. - d. bef. 1694. Left Ch. (Pope's Pioneers). M. 16--; ----- Robbins
(2) Dau. of -----; B. 1---; "Widow of Wm. (6)?" Of Ipswich & Boxford, Mass. & Preston, Conn. (Essex Antiq.); M. 1736, Nov. 16, Jacob Browne
(3) Dau. of Simon (2) & Ruth (Howard); Bapt. 1740, Feb. 13; Of Ipswich, Mass. Rec.
(4) Dau. of Josiah (9) & Mary (Felt); B. 1704, June 4; Of Milford, Mass. & Somers, Conn. (Hist. of Milford, Mass.); M. 1722, Apr. 9, Edmund Evens
(5) Dau. of -----; B. 1---; Of Ipswich, Mass. Rec.; M. 1730, Jan. 3, David Burnum
(6) Dau. of Thomas (1) & Ann (Hunt); B. 1662, July 21; D. 1734, Nov. 29; Of Rowley, Mass. Rec.; M. 1680-81, Jan. 16, Joseph Jewett, 1656-1694; M. (2), 1696, Oct. 26, John Lunt, b. 1669
(7) Dau. of David (21) & Ruth (Hopkins); B. 1733, Mar. 14; D. 1753, Sept. 25; Of Charlestown, Mass. (N. E. Regis.)
(8) Dau. of Thomas (6) & Abigail (Hartshorne); B. 1718, Oct. 24; Of Mansfield, Conn. (Dimock - Bailey); M. 1756, July 14, Perez Anderson
(9) Dau. of -----; B. 1---; Of Sherborn, Mass. Rec.; M. 1819, Nov. 29, Richard Sanger
(10) Dau. of William (2) & Margaret (-----); B. 16--; Of Concord, Mass. (Probate); M. 16--; Thomas Wheeler, 1618-1676
(11) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Newton, Mass. (B.T. #3.21, #7.14-21, #4.109); M. 1778, Phineas Jackson, b. 1755
(12) Dau. of Edward (2) & Ruth (Monsail); B. 1636-7; D. 1696-7, Jan. 18, age 60; Of Charlestown & Malden, Mass. (N.E. Reg. 1869); M. 1658, Feb. 14, Phineas Upham, 1635-1676
(13) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Milford & Northbridge, Mass. (D.A.R. Mag. Sept. 1916); M. 1783, Jan. 16, Abner Adams
(14) Dau. of Josiah (1) & Lydia (Bacon);

Bapt. 1676, April 4; Of Charlestown, Mass.; Perhaps d.y.
(15) Dau. of Abraham (2) & Hannah (Brown); B. 1716, May 6; Of Concord & Sudbury, Mass. Rec.; M. 1737, Dec. 22, Daniel Goodnow, 1707-1777
(16) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Acton & Marlboro, Mass. Rec.; M. 1740, May 26, David Forbush
(17) Dau. of William (20) & Mary (Clark); B. 17--; Of Dartmouth, Mass. (Leonard Fam. Hist.); M. 1739, July 13, Abram Stafford
(18) Dau. of Israel (2) & Phebe (Holt); B. 1779, Nov. 15, D. 1865, Nov. 28; Of Blue Hill, Me. (N.J. Reg. 1910); M. 1811, Mar. 7, James Savage, 1789-1847
(19) Dau. of Thomas (5) & Experience (Abell); B. 1730, Jan. 19; Of Norwalk, Conn. Rec.; M. 17--; "Lawyer Hide"
(20) Dau. of John (100) & Lucy (Avery-Leffingwell); B. 1749, Dec. 3; D. 1825, Aug. 4; Of Groton, Conn. & Galway, N.Y. (B.T. #25.225-31 - #20.88); M. 1767, Apr. 23, Arthur Starkweather, 1739-1799
(21) Dau. of James (19) & Esther (Keith); B. 1745, Aug. 26; Of Uxbridge, Mass. & Douglas (Amidown Gen. 1904); M. 1768, Mar. 3, Samuel Amidown, b. 1742
(22) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Somers, Conn. Rec.; M. 1749, Jan. 9, Chadwell Parsons
(23) Dau. of Daniel (23) & Mary (-----); B. 1757, Apr. 20; Of Norwalk, Conn. (Selleck's)
(24) Dau. of John (139) & Sarah (-----); B. 17--; Of Sherman, Conn. & Pawling, N.Y. (Friends Rec.); M. 1819, May 6, Jonathan Irish
(25) Dau. of John (95) & Susanna (Pickett); B. 17-- (337); Of Norwalk, Conn. (Selleck)
(26) Dau. of Jonathan (23) & Elizabeth (Thurston); B. 1710, Aug. 7; Of L. Compton, R.I. & Dartmouth, Mass. (Arnold)
(27) Dau. of Joseph (19) & Mary (Brownell); B. 1743, Sept. 25; Liv. 1783; Of L. Compton, R.I., 1783 (Newport Co. Probate - Arnold); M. (1), 186-, ----- Brownell; M. (2), bef. 1783, ----- Cook
(28) Dau. of David (32) & Rest (Macomber); B. 1789, Apr. 15, Of Westport, Mass., De Ruyter & Scipio, N.Y. (Friends Rec. N.Y.); M. bef. 1806, Gershom Mosher
(29) Dau. of George (6) & Desire (Gray); B. 1771, Mar. 20; Prob. d. bef. Dec. 13, 1815; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold); M. 1791, Aug. 29, Abel Simmons
(30) Dau. of Gray (1) & Hannah (Hunt); B. 1801, Aug. 14; Of L. Compton, R.I. - bapt. 1808, liv. 1815 (Arnold)
(31) Dau. of Abner (2) & Phebe (Potter); B. 1790, Mar. 25; Of L. Compton, R.I. -

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- B. 1741, June 28; D. June 29, 1761; Of Bradford & Andover, Mass.
- (43) Dau. of Thomas (21) & Rebecca (-----); B. 1687, Mar. 1; Of Swansea, Mass.; Twin (B.T. #14.90); M. 1714, Nov., John Baker
- (44) Dau. of John (10) & Bethia (Mason); B. 1695; Sept. 15; Of Swansea, Mass., 1727; Unmarried (B.T. #14.90)
- (45) Dau. of William (33) and Susanna (-----); B. 1696, Mar. 30; Of Swansea, Mass. - d. bef. Dec., 1734
- (46) Dau. of Luther (1) & Susanna (Wing); B. 1776, May 15; Of Dartmouth, Mass. (Leonard Fam. Hist.); M. 1795, Jan. 24, Abner Potter
- (47) Dau. of George (4) & Sarah (Devol); B. 1749, Mar. 3; Of Dartmouth, Mass.; M. 1769, Nov. 24, Wanton Case
- (48) Dau. of Daniel (16) & Rebecca (Ingalls); B. 17--; "Sally"; Of Cheshire, Mass. (L. Bk. 21); M. 1805, July 27, Wigglesworth Burdick
- (49) Dau. of -----; B. 18--; Of Lanesborough, Mass. (Cooke Mss.); M. 1857, Oct. 1, Edward J. Tower
- (50) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Newburyport, Mass. (Rec.); M. 1795, Apr. 5, Theophilus Jacques (int. has "Mrs. Sarah")
- (51) Dau. of Alba (1) & Sally (Pierce); B. 18-- (bef. 1847); Of Swansea, Mass. (Coll. M.S. Lewis); M. 18-- , Allen Bowen
- (52) Dau. of Nathan (1) & Rhobe (Mason); B. 1754, Sept. 15; Of Dartmouth, or Rehoboth, Mass. & Wash. Co., N.Y. (Slocum Gen.); M. 1778, Mar. 22, Ebenezer Slocum, b. 1756, (he m. a 2d. wife)
- (53) Dau. of Noah (1) & Elizabeth (Mason-Hale); B. 1738, Jan. 30; Of Swansea & Rehoboth, Mass.; M. 1754, July 3, Peleg Kingsley
- (54) Dau. of David (35) & Mary (Baker); B. 1766, Dec. 5; Of Swansea, Mass.; M. 1789, Aug. 9, Squire Bullock
- (55) Dau. of Henry (6) & Content (Thurston); B. 1726, June 4; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold); M. 1771, July 31, James Chase
- (56) Dau. of Jonathan (23) & Anna (Carr); B. 1725, Jan. 31; Of L. Compton, R.I. - prob. of Cambridge, N.Y., 1790 Census (Arnold); M. 1746, Feb. 5, Samuel Almy
- (57) Dau. of Joseph (19) & Mary (Brownell); B. 1737, July 16; D. 1819, Dec. 30; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Family Rec.); M. 1752, Nov. 30, Nathaniel Church, 1732-1825
- (58) Dau. of John (4) & Eunice (Shaw); B. 1768, May 6; Of L. Compton, R.I. & Dartmouth (Arnold - Dartm. Rec.); M. 1788, Feb. 10, Daniel Howland, Jr.
- (59) Dau. of William (149) & -----; B. 17--; Of Warwick, R.I. (Arnold Vol. 1); M. 1739, Oct. 14, John Blanchard, b. 1697
- (60) Dau. of Abner (17) & Mary (Brightman); B. 1776, Mar. 16; Of Dartmouth & Tiverton, Mass. (Leonard & Arnold); M. 1797 (or '99), Dec. 17, Thomas Stoddard
- (61) Dau. of Reuben (3) & Ruth (Wilbur); B. 1784, Nov. 16; D. 1857, Oct. 31; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold); M. 1809, Oct. 28, Walter Greenhill
- (62) Dau. of George (6) & Desire (Gray); B. 1764, Dec. 30; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold); M. 1783, Nov. 27, Hezekiah Barker *Sarah 6 gen*
- (63) Dau. of Gray (1) & Hannah (Hart); B. 1803, Apr. 19; D. Sept. 9, 1855; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold - Church Fam.); M. 18-- , Nathaniel Church, 1801-1882 *niece*
- (64) Dau. of William () & -----; Bapt. 1790, Tiverton; Sarah S. Wood, bur. Tiverton, d. 1864, June 7, age 86 (Ch. Rec. - Arnold)
- (65) Dau. of John (21) & Alice (Holmes); B. 1698, Aug. 17; Of E. Greenwich, R.I. (Arnold)
- (66) Dau. of William (27) & Mary (Budlong); B. 1700 (abt. 1772?); Of Warwick, R.I., 1826; Single
- (67) Dau. of William (50) & Ann (Collins); B. 1743, Dec. 28; D. 17--; Of Warwick, R.I. (Arnold); D. bef. 1793; M. 17-- , William Merrihew
- (68) Dau. of Thomas (35) & Sarah (Wells); B. 1756, Oct. 13; Of Gloucester, R.I., 1807 (Arnold)
- (69) Dau. of John (33) & Mary (Shaw); B. 1753, Jan. 22; Of Middletown, R.I.; M. 1787, Mar. 8, John Manchester
- (70) Dau. of Silas (1) & Jane (Capwell); B. 1751, July 22; Of Coventry, R.I. (Arnold)
- (71) Dau. of Josiah (19) & Hannah (Tucker); B. 1772, Nov. 8; D. 1849, Dec.; Of Dartmouth, Mass. (B.T. #9.39.61); M. 17-- , Nathaniel Potter
- (72) Dau. of Otis (1) & Lydia (Anthony); B. 18-- (after 1807); Of Swansea, Mass. (Coll. M.S. Lewis)
- (73) Dau. of Benj. (2) & Priscilla (Rickard); B. 1752, May 2; Of Ashford, Conn.; M. 1773, Aug. 12, Nehemiah Dodge
- (74) Dau. of -----; B. 16--; "Sally"; Of Voluntown, Conn. (B.T. #7.39); M. 17-- , Daniel Harris
- (75) Dau. of James (8) & Bridget (Jones); B. 1718, Jan. 14; Of Enfield & Somers, Conn. (Allen's Enfield); M. 1734, Apr. 8, Joseph Jones; M. (2) (2d. w.), 1750, Nov. 18, Samuel Stebbins
- (76) Dau. of John (110) & Mary (Chapin); B. 1770, Nov. 20; Of Somers, Conn. & Middlefield, Mass. (Bailey - Chapin Book);

ANNETTE WOOD

(1) Dau. of Timothy (55) & Mary H. (Richardson); B. 1849, Jan. 31; D. 1874, Apr. 9; Of Boxboro, Mass.; M. 18--, Henry Howard

ANNIS WOOD

(1) Dau. of Jesse (20) & Dorcas (Griffin); B. 1823, July 22; Of Coventry, R.I.; M. (1), 18--, ----- Lakewood; M. (2), 18--, ----- Greene
(2) Dau. of Daniel (142) & Sukey (Staples); B. 1804, Nov. 10; Of Mendon, Mass.
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(1) Son of Francis (3) & Elizabeth (Howland); B. 1765, May 5; D. 1834, Dec. 15, age 67; Of Barnstable & Middleboro, Mass.; "Lt. Ansel"; M. 1791, Nov. 10, Elizabeth Thomas, d. 1842, Sept. 13, age 72; Ch: Ransom (3); Elizabeth (412); Ansel (2); Jeremiah (20); Hannah (24); Lois (42)
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Of Jamaica, Vt., Wife d. Camp Griffin, Va.; M. 18--, Lydia A., d. 1861, Nov. 7, age 26; Ch: Lillian, 1856-58
(2) Son of Ziba (1) & Abigail (Shaw); B. 1804, Nov. 3; Of Pepperell, Mass., from Cohasset; M. 1865, Eusebia Gould
(3) Son of Levi (18) & Temperence (Burgess); B. 1822, Mar. 29; Of Middleboro, Mass.

ARAMINTA WOOD

(1) Dau. of Benj. (21) & Austress (Beach); B. 1828; D. 1910; "Araminta M."; Of W. Bloomfield, N.Y., d. E. Bloomfield; M. 1847, Wm. Douglass
(2) Dau. of Benj. (20) & Thankful (Holland); B. 1797, Aug. 22; Of Ionia, N.Y.; M. 18--, Miller

ARBA WOOD

(1) Son of Elijah (26) & Eliza (Morse); B. 1823; D. 1872; "Arba T."; Of Upton, Mass.; M. 1847, Ann M. Stearns, b. 1827, d. 1910, dau. of Alanson & Maria (Gipson) Stearns; Ch: Henry (137); Rosa (2); George (244); Nettie (4); Ten Children

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- (9) Son of -----; B. 17--; D. bef.
1831, Aug. 22; Of Greene Co., N.Y.;
Landowner, Athens; M. 1---, Anna; Ch:
Anthony (10); Rebecca (71); Eliza (51)
- (10) Son of Anthony (9) & Anna (-----);
B. 17--; Of Ballston, N.Y., 1831
- (11) Son of Olney (2) & -----; B. 17--;
D. bef. Dec. 13, 1834; Of Warwick &
Scituate, R.I., Grantee, Warwick, 1818;
M. 18--; Lydia Barnes, Liv. 1845; Ch:
William (61); Harriet (11); Roba (11)

ANTIPAS WOOD

- (1) Son of William (148) & Elizabeth
(Gale) B. 1789, May 27; Westboro, Mass.

- Of Jamaica, Vt., Wife d. Camp Griff
Va.; M. 18--; Lydia A., d. 1861, Nov.
age 26; Ch: Lillian, 1856-58
- (2) Son of Ziba (1) & Abigail (Shaw);
1804, Nov. 3; Of Pepperell, Mass., fro
Cohasset; M. 1865, Eusebia Gould
- (3) Son of Levi (18) & Temperence (Bu-
gess); B. 1822, Mar. 29; Of Middleboro
Mass.

ARAMINTA WOOD

- (1) Dau. of Benj. (21) & Austress (Beal)
B. 1828; D. 1910; "Araminta M."; Of
Bloomfield, N.Y., d. E. Bloomfield; M.
1847, Wm. Douglass
- (2) Dau. of Benj. (20) & Thankful (Ho-
land); B. 1797, Aug. 22; Of Ionia, N.Y.
M. 18--; Miller

ARBA WOOD

- (1) Son of Elijah (26) & Eliza (Morse);
1823; D. 1872; "Arba T."; Of Upton
Mass.; M. 1847, Ann M. Stearns, b. 182
d. 1910, dau. of Alanson & Maria (Gipson)
Stearns; Ch: Henry (137); Rosa (2); George
(244); Nettie (4); Ten Children

ARCHIBALD WOOD

- (1) Son of William (16) & Susanna (Wa-
lace); B. 1749; D. 1827; Of Albemarle Co.
Va. to Madison Co., Ky.; Am. Rev. Cap-
tain; M. 17--; Mourning (Harris) Sheldon
Ch: Susan (18); M. 18--; M. 18--; M. 18--;

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Anthony #1

COLONEL WOOD

- (1) Son of Edson (1) & Elizabeth (Doane);
B. 1846; Of Niles, Mich., 1904

COMFORT WOOD

- (1) Dau. of John (7) & Mary (Burgess); B.
1734, Oct. 15; Of L. Compton, R.I.; prob.
d. bef. 1785
- (2) Dau. of Geo. (6) & Comford (Taylor);
B. 1755, Aug. 20; Of L. Compton, R.I.;
M. 1775, Mar. 2, Billings Grinnell
- (3) Dau. of Isaac (16) & Susanna (Taylor);
B. 1775, May 1; D. 1806, Mar. 15; Of L.
Compton, R.I. & Pleasant Valley, N.Y.;
M. 17--; Nathaniel Wood (21)
- (4) Dau. of Thomas (28) & Lucy (Winslow);
B. 1771, July 17; D. 1797, Of L. Compton
& Scituate, R.I.; Unmarried
- (5) Ch. of John (727) & Hannah (-----);
B. 1751; Of Oxford, N.H., 1765
- (6) Dau. of John (6) & Lydia (Woodman);
B. 1802; D. 1894, Of L. Compton, R.I. &
Hamilton, N.Y.; M. 18--; Uriah Denton,
1803-1888
- (7)
- (8)
- (9) Son of Ichabod (4) & Christian (Wheat-
on); B. 1743, Oct. 14; D. 1817, Mar. 14;
Of Rehoboth & Richmond, Mass., 1790,
2-0-3; M. 17--; Huldah -----, d. 1813,
Aug. 2, age 66; Ch: Dennis (1); Clarinda (2)
- (10) Son of Thomas (24) & Molly (Tillson);
B. 1776, Mar. 18; Of Cumberland, R.I. &
Mendon, Mass., 1825; M. 1802, Mar. 26,
Sylvia Wilcox, b. 1786, Mar. 13, dau. of
Stephen & Susanna (Tillson) Wilcox

CONLEY WOOD

- (1) Son of Samuel (284) & Jane A. (-----);
B. 1844; Of Cattaraugus Co. - Lyndon, 1855

CONSIDER WOOD

- (1) Son of -----; B. 16--; Of New
London, Conn., 1660, Hempstead, 1674,
One of the 36 first rec. house lots, N.H.;
Ferryman; Of Westchester, 1670, took
inv. . . Palmer; Sold out bef. 1680 (See
Richard (30) who was called "Alias Con-
sider").
- (2) Son of Josiah (6) & Mary (Sproat-
Holmes); B. 1757; Of Middleboro, Mass.,
Washington, N.Y., 1790, 1-1-3; Am. Rev.
War; M. 1785, Jan. 26, Mary Adams; Ch:
Mary (235)

CONSTANT WOOD

- (1) Son of -----; B. 1623; Eng. to
America, 1635, age 12, from "Thistle-
worth" or Isleworth, Eng.
- (2) Son of John (7) & Mary (Burgess);
B. 1737, July 4; Of L. Compton, R.I.,
1790. 3-0-1; M. 1766, Oct. 3, Eleanor

- Ellis; Ch: Mordecai (1); Elnathan (b);
John (9)
- (3) Son of -----; B. 17--; Of L. Comp-
ton, R.I.; M. 1762, Oct. 25, Thankful
Taber, dau. of Elnathan & Dorothy (Ellis)
Taber

- (4) Dau. of William (566) & Catherine E.
(Stewart); B. 1881, Jan. 7; "Constance";
Of Meadowbrook, Penn.; M. 1910, Apr. 18,
Allen R. Evans

CONSTANTINE WOOD

- (1) Son of John (338) & -----; B. 16--;
D. 1735, - w. cods. inv.; Of Bury, Lan-
cashire, Eng. to Woodbury, N.Y., 1664;
M. 16--; Ch: Constantine (2)
- (2) Son of Constantine (1); B. 16--; Of
Woodbury, N.J., 1735
- (3) Son of Reuben (4) & Anna (Demming);
B. 1790, July 12; D. 1828, Oct. 20; Of
Plainfield, N.H., Perinton, N.Y., Farming-
ton, Mich.; M. 1819, Dec. 3, Lucy Clark,
b. 1799, Oct., d. 1891, Jan. 27 (she M. (2),
1836, Abijah Wixon); 3 ch., Reuben (20)

CONTENT WOOD

- (1) Dau. of Ichabod (6) & Elizabeth (Brow-
nell); B. 1770, Oct. 3; Of L. Compton, R.I.
M. 1791, Dec. 18, Samuel Gray
- (2) Dau. of John (230) & Rebecca (How-
land); B. 1797, Feb. 25; D. bef. July, 1822;
Of Dartmouth, Mass.; M. 1820, June 2,
Luke Davis
- (3) Dau. of Nathan (13) & Betty (Shaw);
17--; Of Middleboro, Mass.
- (4) Dau. of John (282) & Hannah (Win-
B. 17--; Of Dartmouth, Mass. & Dan
Vt., liv. 1776; M. (2d. w.); 1772, July
Joseph Soule
- (5) Dau. of Abner (2) & Phebe (Pott-
B. 1784, Jan. 3; Of L. Compton, R.I.;
1803, Aug. 21, Hezekiah Irish
- (6) Dau. of Wm. (57) & Hannah (Shaw)
1726, Jan. 10; D. 1754; Of L. Compton,
& Nine Partner, N.Y.; M. 17--; Edw
T. Wing
- (7) Dau. of Zeruah (4) & Rhoda (Eldrid-
B. 1756; D. 1801, Nov. 7; Of Dartm-
Mass.; M. 1777, June 5, Amos Kel
1749-1805
- (8) Dau. of Thomas (26) & Content (---
B. 1694, June 15; Of L. Compton,
M. 17--; ----- Shaw
- (9) Dau. of John (283) & Dinah (Hu-
B. 17--; Of White Creek, N.Y.

COOLIDGE WOOD

- (1) Son of -----; B. 17--; Of
bridge, Mass., 1790, 1-3-4; Am. Re-
town, Mass.; "Coolidge P."; M.
May 31, Mary Harris

CONCRETE WOOD

(1) See of Wood (1) a Concrete (Concrete)
B. 1922, Oct. 12, 1922, Oct. 12, 1922

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B. 1922, Oct. 12, 1922, Oct. 12, 1922

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B. 1922, Oct. 12, 1922, Oct. 12, 1922

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M. 1763, Jan. 18, William Wheeler, Jr.
(9) Dau. of Henry (102) & Mary E. (Burke);
B. 18--; Of Providence, R.I., 1900 (Gor-
ton Gen.)

(10) Dau. of Charles (110) & Clara G.
(Hazard); B. 1879, Oct. 23; "Grace S.";
Of Merchantville, N.J. (M.A. Cole); M.
1---, Alexander Henderson

(11) Dau. of Harvey (8) & Grezil O.
(Donaldson); B. 1833; D. 1901; "Grace
A."; Of Peru, Ill. (L. Bk. 51); M. 1857,
Dudley W. Mattock

(12) Dau. of William (154) & Susanna
(Wright); B. 1796, Oct. 21; Of Hollis,
N.H. (Hist. Hollis 1879)

(13) Dau. of Albert (23) & Emily (Gale);
B. 18--; Of Dorchester, Mass.; M. 18--,
Clark

(14) Dau. of Benj. (59) & Elizabeth (Swal-
low); B. 1765, July 17; Of Chelmsford,
Mass. (Chelsea, Rec.)

(15) Dau. of Aaron (2) & Rebecca (Whee-
ler); B. 1772, Mar. 25; Of Pepperell,
Mass. (Spalding Gen.); M. 1796, Aug. 11,
Zedekiah Spaulding

(16) Dau. of John (702) & Carrie (Hoover);
B. 18--; Of Wales, N.Y.; M. 18---, -----
Wilson

(17) Dau. of Allen (18) & Emily F. (Chand-
ler); B. 18--; Of Hopkintown, N.Y.

GRANVILLE WOOD

(1) Son of Samuel (239) & Harriet (Ansart);
B. 1812, Feb. 9; Of Dracut, Mass.

(2) Son of Simeon (19) & Polly (Sparrow);
B. 1812, June 28; Of Middleboro, Mass.

GRAY WOOD

(1) Son of George (6) & Desire (Gray); B.
1775, Mar. 29; D. 1808, Jan. 17; Of L.
Compton, R.I.; M. 1799, Dec. 15, Hannah
Hart, b. 1780, Mar. 22, d. 1820, Aug. 31,
dau. of Joseph & Almy (-----) Hart;
Ch: Ruth (30); Sarah (63); Mary (76);
Hannah (34)

6 gen

GREENOUGH WOOD

(1) Son of -----; B. 18--; Of Bridge-
water, Mass.; M. 18---, Nancy A. V. Wash-
burn, dau. of Calvin Jr. & ----- Wash-
burn

GRENVILLE WOOD

(1) Son of Preserve (3) & Eunice (Mer-
win); B. 18--; Of Brookfield, Mass. (B.T.
May 21, 1930)

GRIFFIN WOOD

(1) Son of Benj. (49) & Andrit (Duboice);
B. 1803, July 22; Of Schodac, N.Y.; M.
18--; Ch: William (126); John (275); An-

JOHN SUMNER WOOD

Lydia Wood

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(10) Dau. of Eliab (1) & Persis (Rickard);
B. 18--; Of Carver, Mass.; M. 18--,
Bradford Faunce

(11) Dau. of Simeon (6) & Lydia (Wash-
burn); B. 1786, July 10; Of Bridgewater,
Mass.; M. 1806, Aug. 7, Cyrus Benson

(12) Dau. of David (66) & -----; B.
18--; Of Nantucket, Mass. (N. E. Regis.
1885); M. 1853, Sept. 13, Reuben R.
Dodge

(13) Dau. of Joseph (55) & Mary (Blaney);
B. 1713, May 21; Of Charlestown, Mass.;
M. 17---, William Teel

(14) Dau. of John (543) & Ruth (Peabody);
B. 1715, Apr. 29; Of Buxford, Mass.;
M. 1741, Aug. 20, Benj. Titcomb

(15) Dau. of -----; B. 16--; Of Boston,
Mass. (N. E. Reg. 1904); M. 1714, Mar.
3, Edward Vail, 1695-1749

(31) Dau. of George (6) & Desire (Gray);
B. 1768, Dec. 12; D. 1858, July 27; Of
L. Compton, R.I. & Knox, N.Y.; M. 1790,
Nov. 7, David Seabury, 1767-1845

(32) Dau. of Titus (2) & Susanna (-----);
B. 1787, July 8; Twin; Of Lanesboro,
Mass. & Trenton, N.Y. (Sampson Gen. -
Berks. Co. Deeds); M. 1807, June 30,
Isaac Powell

(33) Dau. of Samuel (87) & Mary (Parker)
B. 1732-3, Jan. 21; "Woods"; Of Chelms-
ford & Westford, Mass.; M. 1767, June
22, Rogers King

(34) Dau. of Daniel (36) & Lydia (Dor-
chester); B. 1744, Mar. 19; Of Somers,
Conn.

(35) Dau. of Ezra (7) & Anna (Chapin);
B. 1756, Aug. 1; D. 1824, Feb. 11; Of
Upton, Mass. (Chapin Book); M. 1772,
Hannah Wood, 1740-1815

6 gen

Hannah Wood

B. 1681-2, Jan. 20; D. 1733, March 3; Rowley, Mass.; M. 1702, July 14, James Bailey, 1680-1769

(12) Dau. of Eleazer (1) & Dorothy (Badcock-Daniels); B. 1688, Feb. 11; D. 1754, May 4; Sherborn & Wrentham, Mass.; M. 1708-9, Jan. 5, Joseph Ware, 1682-1754
(13) Dau. of Nathaniel (3) & Eleanor (-----); B. 1704, Mar. 16; D. bef. 1738; "Woods"; Groton & Billerica, Mass.; M. 1725, Apr. 27, John Farmer

(14) Dau. of Nehemiah (2) & Susanna (Low); B. 1714, Sept. 27; Of Ipswich & Beverly, Mass.; M. pub. June 25, 1749, Bartholomew Brown (2d. w.)

(15) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Ipswich, Mass.; M. 1763, Nov. 6, Edmund Tenny
(16) Dau. of Samuel (20) & Hannah (Buck); Bapt. 1710, Mar. 5; Charlestown, Mass.; M. 1727, Nov. 9, Jenkin Edwards

(17) Dau. of Daniel (19) & Mary (Spofford); B. 1711, Nov. 21; Bosford, Mass.; M. 1731, Dec. 2, Joshua Andrews, 1704-1751; M. (2) 1764, Apr. 5, John Kimball
(18) Dau. of Nicholas (1) & Mary (Pidge); B. 1645; D. 1667-8, Feb. 1; Of Watertown & Medfield, Mass.; M. 1665, Nov. 28, John Harding

(19) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Framingham & Dedham, Mass.; M. int. 1756, Aug. 27, Daniel Haven

(20) Dau. of Thomas (21) & Rebecca (-----); B. 1685, Feb. 18; Of Swansea, Mass., Prob. d. young

(21) Dau. of Noah (1) & Mary (Buffington); B. 1726, June 26; D. 1781; Of Swansea, Mass.; Unmarried

(22) Dau. of Thomas (23) & Martha (Childs); B. 1731, Sept. 16; Of Swansea, Mass., 1805; M. 1768, July 31, Daniel Hill; M. (2), 17--; Elihu Mason

(23) Dau. of David (34) & Mary (Childs); B. 1732, July 13; Of Swansea, Mass.; M. 1752, Dec. 21, Oliver Chace

(24) Dau. of George (2) & Rebecca (Daggett); B. 1729, Nov. 5; D. 1769, June 2; Of Swansea, Mass.; Twin James (28); M. 1756, Jan. 25, Nicholas Caswell

3 gen { (25) Dau. of John (3) & Mary (Church); B. 1701, Oct. 7; D. 1756, Aug. 11; Of L. Compton & Bristol, R.I.; M. 1721, Jan. 5, Jonathan Peck, 1699-1757

(26) Dau. of Benj. (41) & Mary (Casey); B. 1765, Nov. 2; Of E. Greenwich, R.I., 1822; M. (2d. w.) 1813, Feb. 12, Peleg Whitman

(27) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Swansea, Mass.; M. 1789, Sept. 3, Ezra Chase

(28) Dau. of Joseph (19) & Mary (Brownell); B. 1734, Dec. 26; D. 1815, Feb. 3; Of L. Compton, R.I.; M. 1754, Mar. 7, Ebenezer Church, 1726-1823

(29) Dau. of William (358) & Zerviah (Rockwood); Bapt. 1766; Of Athol, Mass.

(30) Dau. of William (57) & Hannah (Shaw); B. 1733, Feb. 20; Of Dartmouth, Mass.; M. int. Nov. 19, 1758, Caleb Murdock

(31) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Rehoboth, Mass. & Barrington, R.I.; M. 1794, March 6, Daniel Rounds

(32) Dau. of William (24) & Keziah (Martin); B. 1719, Jan. 13; Of Swansea, Mass. (D. early? or Anne (18)?)

(33) Dau. of George (6) & Desire (Gray); B. 1766, Nov. 21; Of L. Compton, R.I.; M. 1791, Feb. 6, Gideon Durfee

(34) Dau. of Gray (1) & Hannah (Hart); B. 1807; "Hannah G."; Of L. Compton, R.I., 1815

(35) Dau. of William (35) & Anna (Soule); B. 1781, Oct. 11; D. 1813; Of Westport, Mass.; Dead in 1825, prob.

(36) Dau. of Henry (10) & Hannah (-----); B. 1677, Sept. 25; Of Newport, R.I. & Hopewell, N.J.; M. 1695-6, Jan. 3, Joseph Nicholson

(37) Dau. of Daniel (43) & Mary (Johnson); B. 18--; "Hannah L."; Of Foster, R.I.; M. 1848, Oct. 8, Anson B. Place

(38) Dau. of Thomas (2) & Mary (Hunt); B. 1703, May 21; D. 17--; Of Mansfield, Conn., D. bef. Oct. 1765; M. 1724, Sept. 15, Cordial Storrs

(39) Dau. of Isaiah (4) & Bathsheba (Ward); B. 1738, Jan. 28; Of Pomfret, Conn.

(40) Dau. of Samuel (16) & Jane (Dudley); B. 1723, Feb. 1; Of Mansfield, Conn.; M. 1745, Dec. 5, Noah Upham, Jr.

(41) Dau. of Samuel (17) & Jerusha (Abbe); B. 1749, Feb. 1; Of Mansfield, Conn.; M. 1769, Jan. 12, Timothy Bugbee

(42) Dau. of Joseph (10) & Hannah (Carrier); B. 1723, Apr. 8; Of Lebanon & Norwich, Conn.; M. 1754, Sept. 3, Samuel Tubbs

(43) Dau. of Josiah (10) & Hannah (Kilham); B. 1725, July 23; Of Somers, Conn. & Westboro, Mass. & Brattleboro, Vt.; M. 1748, Benjamin Talnor, 1725-1815

(44) Dau. of William (66) & Honor (Adams); B. 1744; D. 1818, June 6, age 74; Of Groton, Conn.; Unmarried, 1774

(45) Dau. of Thompson (1) & Martha (Foster); B. 1708-9, Jan. 20; D. 1787, March 18; Of Windham & Lebanon, Conn.; M. 1724, June 29, Ephriam Wright

(46) Dau. of Jabez (4) & Joanna (Short); B. 1754, Dec. 21; Of Rehoboth, Mass.; M. 1781, Jan. 25, Nathaniel Miller

(47) Dau. of Nathaniel (17) & Miriam (Wood); B. 1764, Mar. 5; Of Norwich, Conn. & Middletown, Vt.; M. 1785, Dec. 6, Ithamar Hubbard; M. (2) 1---, Obadiah Kingsley

Apr. 9; Of Boxboro, Mass.; M. 18--,
Henry Howard

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ANNIS WOOD

- (1) Dau. of Jesse (20) & Dorcas (Griffin);
B. 1823, July 22; Of Coventry, R.I.; M.
(1), 18--; ----- Lakewood; M. (2), 18--,
----- Greene
(2) Dau. of Daniel (142) & Sukey (Staples);
B. 1804, Nov. 10; Of Mendon, Mass.
(3) Dau. of William (578) & Annis (Pierce);
B. 1830, July 26; "Anice S."; Of Elizabeth-
town, Ill.

ANSEL WOOD

- (1) Son of Francis (3) & Elizabeth (How-
land); B. 1765, May 5; D. 1834, Dec. 15,
age 67; Of Barnstable & Middleboro,
Mass.; "Lt. Ansel"; M. 1791, Nov. 10,
Elizabeth Thomas, d. 1842, Sept. 13, age
72; Ch: Ransom (3); Elizabeth (412); An-
sel (2); Jeremiah (20); Hannah (24);
Lois (42)
(2) Son of Ansel (1) & Elizabeth (Thomas);
B. 1798, Nov. 18; D. 1863, July 6; Of
Middleboro, Mass., 1844 - Wife of Paw-

(6) Son of Alvin (4) & Fanny (Woodworth);
B. 1834, Oct. 2; "Anson S."; Of Wolcott,
N.Y.; Lawyer, Mem. Assembly; Civil War;
M. 185-, Maria S. Vickery, b. 1838, Sept.
18; Ch: William (462); Robert (83); Fanny.
1866-1874; Fred G., 1873-77
(7) Son of Ephraim (4) & Ruth (Palmer);
B. 1793, Jan. 31; Of Bennington, Vt.; M.
18--; Electa; Ch: Ruth (73); Truman (5);
George (204)

ANSTIS WOOD

- (1) Dau. of William (57) & Hannah (Shaw);
B. 1723, Sept. 9; Of Dartmouth, Mass. &
Dutchess Co., N.Y.; M. 1741, May 7,
Abraham Wing

ANTHONY WOOD ✓

- (1) Son of -----; B. 16--; D. 1684, bef.
June 20; Of Ipswich & Beverly, Mass.;
M. 1666, Apr. 11, Mary Grover, b. abt.
1644, dau. of Edmund & Margaret (-----)
Grover; Ch: William (8); Anthony (2);
Mary (236); Nehemiah (2); Israel (1);
Anna (3)
(2) Son of Anthony (1) & Mary (Grover);
B. 1668, Dec. 17; Of Beverly & Lynn,

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Mass.; M. 1692, Mary Pack

- (3) Son of -----; B. 16--; Of Leicester-
shire, Eng. to L. Compton, R.I., 1654;
M. 16--; Ch: John (3)

(4) Son of -----; B. 18--; "Anthony
W."; Of Marcy, Oneida Co., N.Y., 1853
grantor with wife Laura, Jas. W. Hannah
& W. Pamela, & Wm. Wolcott & W. Olive,
Mch. 1; M. 18--; Laura S.

(5) Son of William (8) & Elizabeth (-----);
B. 1695-5, Jan. 7; D. 1774, May 15; Of
Beverly, Mass.; M. 1721-2, Jan. 3, Eliza-
beth Bisson, b. 1688, Mar. 31, d. 1777,
Aug. 16; Ch: William (489); Elizabeth (321)

(6) Son of -----; B. 18--; Of Harrison
Co., Ohio; M. 1839, Oct. 23, Jane Petty

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COMFORT WOOD

- (1) Dau. of John (7) & Mary (Burgess); B. 1734, Oct. 15; Of L. Compton, R.I.; prob. d. bef. 1785
 (2) Dau. of Geo. (6) & Comford (Taylor); B. 1755, Aug. 20; Of L. Compton, R.I.; M. 1775, Mar. 2, Billings Grinnell
 (3) Dau. of Isaac (16) & Susanna (Taylor); B. 1775, May 1; D. 1806, Mar. 15; Of L. Compton, R.I. & Pleasant Valley, N.Y.; M. 17--; Nathaniel Wood (21)
 (4) Dau. of Thomas (28) & Lucy (Winslow); B. 1771, July 17; D. 1797, Of L. Compton & Scituate, R.I.; Unmarried
 (5) Ch. of John (727) & Hannah (-----); B. 1751; Of Oxford, N.H., 1765
 (6) Dau. of John (6) & Lydia (Woodman); B. 1802; D. 1894, Of L. Compton, R.I. & Hamilton, N.Y.; M. 18--; Uriah Denton, 1803-1888
 (7)
 (8)
 (9) Son of Ichabod (4) & Christian (Wheaton); B. 1743, Oct. 14; D. 1817, Mar. 14; Of Rehoboth & Richmond, Mass., 1790, 2-0-3; M. 17--; Huldah -----, d. 1813, Aug. 2, age 66; Ch: Dennis (1); Clarinda (2)
 (10) Son of Thomas (24) & Molly (Tillson); B. 1776, Mar. 18; Of Cumberland, R.I. & Mendon, Mass., 1825; M. 1802, Mar. 26, Sylvia Wilcox, b. 1786, Mar. 13, dau. of Stephen & Susanna (Tillson) Wilcox

CONLEY WOOD

- (1) Son of Samuel (284) & Jane A. (-----); B. 1844; Of Cattaraugus Co. - Lyndon, 1855

CONSIDER WOOD

- (1) Son of -----; B. 16--; Of New London, Conn., 1660, Hempstead, 1674, One of the 36 first rec. house lots, N.H.; Ferryman; Of Westchester, 1670, took inv. . . Palmer; Sold out bef. 1680 (See Richard (30) who was called "Alias Consider")
 (2) Son of Josiah (6) & Mary (Sproat-Holmes); B. 1757; Of Middleboro, Mass., Washington, N.Y., 1790, 1-1-3; Am. Rev. War; M. 1785, Jan. 26, Mary Adams; Ch: Mary (235)

CONSTANT WOOD

- (1) Son of -----; B. 1623; Eng. to America, 1635, age 12, from "Thistleworth" or Isleworth, Eng.
 (2) Son of John (7) & Mary (Burgess); B. 1737, July 4; Of L. Compton, R.I., 1790. 3-0-1; M. 1766, Oct. 3, Eleanor

Ellis; Ch: Mordecai (1); Elnathan (6); John (9)

- (3) Son of -----; B. 17--; Of L. Compton, R.I.; M. 1762, Oct. 25, Thankful Taber, dau. of Elnathan & Dorothy (Ellis) Taber

(4) Dau. of William (566) & Catherine E. (Stewart); B. 1881, Jan. 7; "Constance"; Of Meadowbrook, Penn.; M. 1910, Apr. 18, Allen R. Evans

CONSTANTINE WOOD

- (1) Son of John (338) & -----; B. 16--; D. 1735, - w. cods. inv.; Of Bury, Lancashire, Eng. to Woodbury, N.Y., 1664; M. 16--; Ch: Constantine (2)
 (2) Son of Constantine (1); B. 16--; Of Woodbury, N.J., 1735
 (3) Son of Reuben (4) & Anna (Demming); B. 1790, July 12; D. 1828, Oct. 20; Of Plainfield, N.H., Perinton, N.Y., Farmington, Mich.; M. 1819, Dec. 3, Lucy Clark, b. 1799, Oct., d. 1891, Jan. 27 (she M. (2), 1836, Abijah Wixon); 3 ch., Reuben (20)

CONTENT WOOD

- (1) Dau. of Ichabod (6) & Elizabeth (Brownell); B. 1770, Oct. 3; Of L. Compton, R.I.; M. 1791, Dec. 18, Samuel Gray
 (2) Dau. of John (230) & Rebecca (Howland); B. 1797, Feb. 25; D. bef. July, 1822; Of Dartmouth, Mass.; M. 1820, June 20, Luke Davis
 (3) Dau. of Nathan (13) & Betty (Shaw); B. 17--; Of Middleboro, Mass.
 (4) Dau. of John (282) & Hannah (Wing); B. 17--; Of Dartmouth, Mass. & Danby, Vt., liv. 1776; M. (2d. w.); 1772, July 16, Joseph Soule
 (5) Dau. of Abner (2) & Phebe (Potter); B. 1784, Jan. 3; Of L. Compton, R.I.; M. 1803, Aug. 21, Hezekiah Irish
 (6) Dau. of Wm. (57) & Hannah (Shaw); B. 1726, Jan. 10; D. 1754; Of L. Compton, R.I. & Nine Partner, N.Y.; M. 17--; Edward T. Wing
 (7) Dau. of Zeruah (4) & Rhoda (Eldridge); B. 1756; D. 1801, Nov. 7; Of Dartmouth, Mass.; M. 1777, June 5, Amos Kelly, 1749-1805
 (8) Dau. of Thomas (26) & Content (-----); B. 1694, June 15; Of L. Compton, R.I.; M. 17--; ----- Shaw
 (9) Dau. of John (283) & Dinah (Hussey); B. 17--; Of White Creek, N.Y.

COOLIDGE WOOD

- (1) Son of -----; B. 17--; Of Cambridge, Mass., 1790, 1-3-4; Am. Rev. War
 (2) Son of -----; B. 17--; Of Watertown, Mass.; "Coolidge P."; M. 1818, May 31, Mary Harris

dau. of Amariah & Caroline (Beston) Kibbe;
Ch: Amelia (5)

(5) Son of Caleb (8) & Huldah (Greene); B. 1807, Nov. 19; D. 1890, May 12; "Gardner G."; Of Coventry & Providence, R.I.; M. 18--; Ann E. Maxson, b. 1810, Nov. 3, d. 1840, June 11; M. (2), 1842, Dec. 25, Lucy A. Reynolds, b. 1817, Sept. 23, d. 1876, July 5, dau. of Arnold & ----- Reynolds; Ch: Isaac (58); Caleb (26); Alonzo (10); Edgar (12); (2nd. w.) Frank (9); Annie (175)
(6) Son of -----; B. 1788-9; D. 1849, Jan. 25, age 60; Of New Braintree, Mass.
(7) Son of -----; B. 1---; D. 1867; Of Ocean Co., N.J. (Index N.J. Wills)
(8) "Son of Sarah Brooke"; B. 1784, Feb. 3; Of Barre, Mass. (Barre Rec.)

GARAFELIA WOOD

(1) Dau. of -----; B. 18--; "Garafelia A."; Of Midd., Mass. (C. M. Thatcher); M. 1876, Dec. 28, Israel F. Bishop

GARFIELD WOOD

(1) Son of Walter (41) & ----- (Benton); B. 1881, Of Mapleton, Iowa-Osakio, Minn. & Algonac, Mich. (Amer. Mag. 1925, April); Inventor & Mfr. of Motors; M. 19--; Ch: Garfield (2)
(2) Son of Garfield (1) & -----; B. 19--; Of Detroit & Algonac, Mich., 1925 (Amer. Mag. 1925, April)

GARNET WOOD

(1) Son of -----; B. 19--; Of Arroyo Grande, Calif. 1921 (Press Clip.)

GARNER WOOD

(1) Son of -----; B. 18--; Of Murray, N.Y., Grantee, 1866 (Orleans Co. Deeds)

GARRETT WOOD

(1) Son of -----; B. 18--; Of Murray, N.Y., Grantee, 1833 (Orleans Co., Deeds)
(2) Son of William (572) & -----; B. 17--; "Gerrett"; Of Callicoon, Sull. Co., N.Y., 1814; Farmer (N.Y. Gazetteer 1860)

GARY WOOD

(1) Son of Benj. (70) & Asenath (Barnes); B. 1854; D. abt. 1915; "Gary H."; Of Antwerp, N.Y., 1900 (Hist. Jeff. Co. 1898); M.D.; M. 1876, Mary F. Tamblin, b. 1857, dau. of Jackson & Lucina (Clark) Tamblin; Ch: Lillian (9)

GAYLORD WOOD

(1) Son of Setl. (22) & Melinda (Dunham); B. 18--; Of Milton & Camillus, N.Y.

GEDNEY WOOD

(1) Son of Cornelius (11) & Sarah (Mc-

Cumley); B. 1778; "Gechney"; Of New Windsor, N.Y. (Newburgh Bay Hist. Soc. Coll. - L. Bk. 98); M. 17--; Philena Stanton; Ch: Isaac (108)

(2) Son of Stephen (79) & Lavina (Sands); B. 1785 (abt.); Of New Windsor, N.Y. (Newburgh Bay Hist. Soc. Coll. - L. Bk. 98); M. 18--; Electy Woolsey, dau. of David & Rebecca (Thompson) Woolsey; Ch: David (173); Lavina (6); Rebecca (93); Jennie (13)

GENEVIEVE WOOD

(1) Dau. of Harvey (7) & Esther A. (Wilkinson); B. 18--; Of Schuylar, N.Y. (D.A.R. 42420 - L. Bk. 43)

GEORGE WOOD

(1) Son of John (1) & -----; B. 16--; Of Portsmouth, R.I., 1655; Eldest Son (Austin Gen. Dict. - Newport Co. Probate Rec.)
(2) Son of Thomas (21) & Rebecca (-----); B. 1679, July 30; D. 1730-31, Feb. 26; Of Swansea, Mass.; M. 1710, May 21, Rebecca Daggett, b. 1689, Oct. 8, dau. of Nath'l & Rebecca (Miller) Daggett (She m. (2), 1743, Isaac Carter); Ch: Thomas (25); Gershom (1); Rebecca (26); Thankful (5); Lydia (18); Abigail (10); James (28); Hannah (24)

(3) Son of William (19) & Martha (Earle); B. 1667-8; D. 1742, will Oct. 28 pr. Dec. 21; Of Dartmouth, Mass.; M. 1717, Dec. 14, Ann Wilbor, d. 1765, dau. of Joseph & Ann (Brownell) Wilbor; Ch: William (30); George (4)

(4) Son of George (3) & Ann (Wilbor); B. 1723, May 4; D. 1793; Of Dartmouth & Westport, Mass., 1790 Census; M. int. 1744, Dec. 17, Sarah Devol, dau. of Wm. & Sarah (Sisson) Devol; Ch: Zilpha (3); George (5); Sarah (47); Phebe (10); Ann (15); Stephen (9); Martha (10); Rebecca (27)
(5) Son of George (4) & Sarah (Devol); B. 1747, May 27; Of Tiverton, R.I., 1774, Westport, 1790 Census; M. 1767, Apr. 23, Hannah Davenport, b. 1742, dau. of Eliphalet & Anne (-----) Davenport; M. (2), 1772, Dec. 13, Elizabeth Sherman (Prob. m. (2), 1811, Oct. 27, Theo. Devereaux Stockbridge); Ch: Sarah (162); Eunice (26); Anna (81); Ruth (42); George (57); Stephen (31); Rebecca (47); Hannah (104); Elizabeth (169)

(6) Son of Joseph (19) & Mary (Brownell); B. 1730, Nov. 2; D. June, 1820; Am. Rev. War; Of L. Compton, R.I., 1777-1790 (State & Fed. Census); M. 1755, Dec. 30, Comfort Taylor, b. 1735, May 26; m. (2), 1762, Feb. 10, Desire Gray, b. 1735, July 7, d. 1822, Mar.; Ch: Comfort (2); (2d.w.) Phebe (3); Sarah (62); Hannah (33); Lydia (31); Ruth (29); John (6); Gray (1)

M. 1763, Jan. 18, William Wheeler, Jr.
 (9) Dau. of Henry (102) & Mary E. (Burke);
 B. 18--; Of Providence, R.I., 1900 (Gorton Gen.)
 (10) Dau. of Charles (110) & Clara G. (Hazard); B. 1879, Oct. 23; "Grace S."; Of Merchantville, N.J. (M.A. Cole); M. 1---, Alexander Henderson
 (11) Dau. of Harvey (8) & Grezil O. (Donaldson); B. 1833; D. 1901; "Grace A."; Of Peru, Ill. (L. Bk. 51); M. 1857, Dudley W. Mattock
 (12) Dau. of William (154) & Susanna (Wright); B. 1796, Oct. 21; Of Hollis, N.H. (Hist. Hollis 1879)
 (13) Dau. of Albert (23) & Emily (Gale); B. 18--; Of Dorchester, Mass.; M. 18--, Clark
 (14) Dau. of Benj. (59) & Elizabeth (Swallow); B. 1765, July 17; Of Chelmsford, Mass. (Chelsea, Rec.)
 (15) Dau. of Aaron (2) & Rebecca (Wheeler); B. 1772, Mar. 25; Of Pepperell, Mass. (Spalding Gen.); M. 1796, Aug. 11, Zedekiah Spaulding
 (16) Dau. of John (702) & Carrie (Hoover); B. 18--; Of Wales, N.Y.; M. 18--, ----- Wilson
 (17) Dau. of Allen (18) & Emily F. (Chandler); B. 18--; Of Hooktown, N.Y.

GRANVILLE WOOD

(1) Son of Samuel (239) & Harriet (Ansart); B. 1812, Feb. 9; Of Dracut, Mass.
 (2) Son of Simeon (19) & Polly (Sparrow); B. 1812, June 28; Of Middleboro, Mass.

GRAY WOOD

(1) Son of George (6) & Desire (Gray); B. 1775, Mar. 29; D. 1808, Jan. 17; Of L. Compton, R.I.; M. 1799, Dec. 15, Hannah Hart, b. 1780, Mar. 22, d. 1820, Aug. 31, dau. of Joseph & Almy (-----) Hart; Ch: Ruth (30); Sarah (63); Mary (76); Hannah (34)

GREENOUGH WOOD

(1) Son of -----; B. 18--; Of Bridgewater, Mass.; M. 18--, Nancy A. V. Washburn, dau. of Calvin Jr. & ----- Washburn

GRENVILLE WOOD

(1) Son of Preserve (3) & Eunice (Merwin); B. 18--; Of Brookfield, Mass. (B.T. May 21, 1930)

GRIFFIN WOOD

(1) Son of Benj. (49) & Andrit (Duboice); B. 1803, July 22; Of Schodac, N.Y.; M. 18--; Ch: William (126); John (275); An-

(10) Dau. of Eliab (1) & Persis (Rickard); B. 18--; Of Carver, Mass.; M. 18--, Bradford Faunce
 (11) Dau. of Simeon (6) & Lydia (Washburn); B. 1786, July 10; Of Bridgewater, Mass.; M. 1806, Aug. 7, Cyrus Benson
 (12) Dau. of David (66) & -----; B. 18--; Of Nantucket, Mass. (N. E. Regis. 1885); M. 1853, Sept. 13, Reuben R. Dodge
 (13) Dau. of Joseph (55) & Mary (Blaney); B. 1713, May 21; Of Charlestown, Mass.; M. 17--, William Teel
 (14) Dau. of John (543) & Ruth (Peabody); B. 1715, Apr. 29; Of Boxford, Mass.; M. 1741, Aug. 20, Benj. Titcomb
 (15) Dau. of -----; B. 16--; Of Boston, Mass. (N. E. Reg. 1904); M. 1714, Mar. 3, Edward Vail, 1695-1749

(31) Dau. of George (6) & Desire (Gray); B. 1768, Dec. 12; D. 1858, July 27; Of L. Compton, R.I. & Knox, N.Y.; M. 1790, Nov. 7, David Seabury, 1767-1845
 (32) Dau. of Titus (2) & Susanna (-----); B. 1787, July 8; Twin; Of Lanesboro, Mass. & Trenton, N.Y. (Sampson Gen. - Berks. Co. Deeds); M. 1807, June 30, Isaac Powell
 (33) Dau. of Samuel (87) & Mary (Parker); B. 1732-3, Jan. 21; "Woods"; Of Chelmsford & Westford, Mass.; M. 1767, June 22, Rogers King
 (34) Dau. of Daniel (36) & Lydia (Dorchester); B. 1744, Mar. 19; Of Somers, Conn.
 (35) Dau. of Ezra (7) & Anna (Chapin); B. 1756, Aug. 1; D. 1824, Feb. 11; Of Upton, Mass. (Chapin Book); M. 1772,

Hannah Wood

- B. 1681-2, Jan. 20; D. 1733, March 3; Rowley, Mass.; M. 1702, July 14, James Bailey, 1680-1769
- (12) Dau. of Eleazer (1) & Dorothy (Badcock-Daniels); B. 1688, Feb. 11; D. 1754, May 4; Sherborn & Wrentham, Mass.; M. 1708-9, Jan. 5, Joseph Ware, 1682-1754
- (13) Dau. of Nathaniel (3) & Eleanor (-----); B. 1704, Mar. 16; D. bef. 1738; "Woods"; Groton & Billerica, Mass.; M. 1725, Apr. 27, John Farmer
- (14) Dau. of Nehemiah (2) & Susanna (Low); B. 1714, Sept. 27; Of Ipswich & Beverly, Mass.; M. pub. June 25, 1749, Bartholomew Brown (2d. w.)
- (15) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Ipswich, Mass.; M. 1763, Nov. 6, Edmund Tenny
- (16) Dau. of Samuel (20) & Hannah (Buck); B. 1710, Mar. 5; Charlestown, Mass.; M. 1727, Nov. 9, Jenkin Edwards
- (17) Dau. of Daniel (19) & Mary (Spofford); B. 1711, Nov. 21; Bosford, Mass.; M. 1731, Dec. 2, Joshua Andrews, 1704-1751; M. (2) 1764, Apr. 5, John Kimball
- (18) Dau. of Nicholas (1) & Mary (Pidge); B. 1645; D. 1667-8, Feb. 1; Of Watertown & Medfield, Mass.; M. 1665, Nov. 28, John Harding
- (19) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Framingham & Dedham, Mass.; M. Int. 1756, Aug. 27, Daniel Haven
- (20) Dau. of Thomas (21) & Rebecca (-----); B. 1685, Feb. 18; Of Swansea, Mass., Prob. d. young
- (21) Dau. of Noah (1) & Mary (Buffington); B. 1726, June 26; D. 1781; Of Swansea, Mass.; Unmarried
- (22) Dau. of Thomas (23) & Martha (Childs); B. 1731, Sept. 16; Of Swansea, Mass., 1805; M. 1768, July 31, Daniel Hill; M. (2), 17--; Elihu Mason
- (23) Dau. of David (34) & Mary (Childs); B. 1732, July 13; Of Swansea, Mass.; M. 1752, Dec. 21, Oliver Chace
- (24) Dau. of George (2) & Rebecca (Daggett); B. 1729, Nov. 5; D. 1769, June 2; Of Swansea, Mass.; Twin James (28); M. 1756, Jan. 25, Nicholas Caswell
- ✓ (25) Dau. of John (3) & Mary (Church); B. 1701, Oct. 7; D. 1756, Aug. 11; Of L. Compton & Bristol, R.I.; M. 1721, Jan. 5, Jonathan Peck, 1699-1757
- (26) Dau. of Benj. (41) & Mary (Casey); B. 1765, Nov. 2; Of E. Greenwich, R.I., 1822; M. (2d. w.) 1813, Feb. 12, Peleg Whitman
- (27) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Swansea, Mass.; M. 1789, Sept. 3, Ezra Chase
- ✓ (28) Dau. of Joseph (19) & Mary (Brownell); B. 1734, Dec. 26; D. 1815, Feb. 3; Of L. Compton, R.I.; M. 1754, Mar. 7, Ebenezer Church, 1726-1823
- (29) Dau. of William (358) & Zerviah (Rockwood); B. 1766; Of Athol, Mass.
- (30) Dau. of William (57) & Hannah (Shaw); B. 1733, Feb. 20; Of Dartmouth, Mass.; M. int. Nov. 19, 1758, Caleb Murdock
- (31) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Rehoboth, Mass. & Barrington, R.I.; M. 1794, March 6, Daniel Rounds
- (32) Dau. of William (24) & Keziah (Martin); B. 1719, Jan. 13; Of Swansea, Mass. (D. early? or Anne (18)?)
- (33) Dau. of George (6) & Desire (Gray); B. 1766, Nov. 21; Of L. Compton, R.I.; M. 1791, Feb. 6, Gideon Durfee
- (34) Dau. of Gray (1) & Hannah (Hart); B. 1807; "Hannah G."; Of L. Compton, R.I., 1815
- (35) Dau. of William (35) & Anna (Soule); B. 1781, Oct. 11; D. 1813; Of Westport, Mass.; Dead in 1825, prob.
- (36) Dau. of Henry (10) & Hannah (-----); B. 1677, Sept. 25; Of Newport, R.I. & Hopewell, N.J.; M. 1695-6, Jan. 3, Joseph Nicholson
- (37) Dau. of Daniel (43) & Mary (Johnson); B. 18--; "Hannah L."; Of Foster, R.I.; M. 1848, Oct. 8, Anson B. Place
- (38) Dau. of Thomas (2) & Mary (Hunt); B. 1703, May 21; D. 17--; Of Mansfield, Conn., D. bef. Oct. 1765; M. 1724, Sept. 15, Cordial Storrs
- (39) Dau. of Isaiah (4) & Bathsheba (Ward); B. 1738, Jan. 28; Of Pomfret, Conn.
- (40) Dau. of Samuel (16) & Jane (Dudley); B. 1723, Feb. 1; Of Mansfield, Conn.; M. 1745, Dec. 5, Noah Upham, Jr.
- (41) Dau. of Samuel (17) & Jerusha (Abbe); B. 1749, Feb. 1; Of Mansfield, Conn.; M. 1769, Jan. 12, Timothy Bugbee
- (42) Dau. of Joseph (10) & Hannah (Carrier); B. 1723, Apr. 8; Of Lebanon & Norwich, Conn.; M. 1754, Sept. 3, Samuel Tubbs
- (43) Dau. of Josiah (10) & Hannah (Kilham); B. 1725, July 23; Of Somers, Conn. & Westboro, Mass. & Brattleboro, Vt.; M. 1748, Benjamin Taintor, 1725-1815
- (44) Dau. of William (66) & Honor (Adams); B. 1744; D. 1818, June 6, age 74; Of Groton, Conn.; Unmarried, 1774
- (45) Dau. of Thompson (1) & Martha (Foster); B. 1708-9, Jan. 20; D. 1787, March 18; Of Windham & Lebanon, Conn.; M. 1724, June 29, Ephriam Wright
- (46) Dau. of Jabez (4) & Joanna (Short); B. 1754, Dec. 21; Of Rehoboth, Mass.; M. 1781, Jan. 25, Nathaniel Miller
- (47) Dau. of Nathaniel (17) & Miriam (Wood); B. 1764, Mar. 5; Of Norwich, Conn. & Middletown, Vt.; M. 1785, Dec. 6, Ithamar Hubbard; M. (2) 1---, Obadiah Kingsley

- (4) Son of -----; B. 17--; Of Berks. Co., Mass. - Pittsfield (Cooke Mss. - Berks Co. Land Rec.); M. 1792, Feb. 9, Betsey Howard
- (5) Son of -----; B. 18--; D. 1898; "Joel S."; Of Heath, Mass. to Pawcatuck, R.I., 1856 (Cong'l. Chh. Rec. - Arnold); M. 18--; Sophia -----, d. 1882, May 5
- (6) Son of -----; B. 17--; Of Westboro, Mass., 1790 Census; M. 1787, Nov. 7, Mary Rice
- (7) Son of J----- () & M----- A. (-----); B. 1827; D. 1851, Aug. 2, age 24; "Joel P."; Of Saratoga Co., N.Y. - Bur. Green Ridge Cem.
- (8) Son of -----; B. 18--; D. 1871; Of Burlington Co., N.J. - Will, Cods. & inv. (Index N.J. Wills)
- (9) Son of -----; B. 17--; D. 1815; Of Cumberland Co., N.J. - Will & Inv. (Index N.J. Wills)
- (10) Son of Daniel (44) & -----; B. 17--; Of Goshen, N.Y. - D. at 88 (Newburgh Bay Hist. Soc. Coll.)
- (11) Son of Nathan (27) & Mehitable (Covey); B. 1784, May 25; D. 1833, Oct. 11; Of Westminster, Mass., Wife of Athol; M. int. 1818, Nov. 21, Abba M. Sweetser; Ch: Mary (609)
- (12) Son of -----; B. 18--; Of Mass. & N.Y., 1824, Ohio, 1847. Mich. 1882 (Mass. Mag. Vol. 6)
- (13) Son of Jonathan (101) & Sarah (Bradish); B. 1792, Oct. 17; Of Henniker, N.H. (Cogswell's Henniker)
- (14) Son of Samuel (35) & -----; B. 17--; Of Worcester Co., Mass.; M. 1--; Hannah Rockwell; Ch: Emerson (3)
- (15) Son of -----; B. 18--; "Joel T."; Of Grafton, Mass. (New Braintree Marr.); M. int. Apr. 12, 1831, Lucy Sanford
- (16) Son of -----; B. 17--; D. 18--; Of Ontario Co., N.Y., 1799, grantor (Ont. Co. Probate); M. 1800, Abiah S. -----; Ch: Clark (4); Sylvia (12); Sarah (490); Emma (23)
- (17) Son of -----; B. 17--; Conneaut, Pa., 1815, gives Mtge.; Salem, Ohio, Oct. 1823, grants to Silas Wood of Conneaut, Penn., land of Henry Wood; Joel & W. Betsey of Salem, gr. to Henry of Conneaut, Penn. 31 Aug. 1822; Clarissa Wood a witness (W.H. Wood-Deeds, Erie Co., Penn.); Joel's Heirs in 1837, Jan. 30 - Henry, Hiram & Lyman Wood, Lucinda Veitz, Sophia Thompson, Clarissa Teeple
- (18) Son of -----; B. 1--; Grantee, Jeff. Co., N.Y., 1834, Grantor with wife 1836, land in village of Jubakville (Jeff. Co. Land Rec.); M. 18--; Mary -----
- (19) Son of Henry (215) & Mary (Breese); B. 1807; D. 1882; Of New York (L. Bk.

113); M. 1825, Sally A. Butts, b. 1808, d. 1880, Ch: Henry (216)

JOHN WOOD

- (1) Son of -----; B. 15--; D. 1655, bef. Mar. 17; Of Portsmouth, R.I., 1640, Probate & Land Records; M. 16--; M. (2) 16--; Ch: George (1); John (2); Thomas (21); William (19); Margaret (1); dau. m. Sam'l Jennings; (2d. w.), Susanna (17); Elizabeth (1)
- (2) Son of John (1) & -----; B. 1620; D. 1704; Of Portsmouth & Newport, R.I. Rec.; M. 16--; (2), 16--; Mary Peabody, dau. of John & ---- Peabody; Ch: Thomas (26); William (56); (2d. w.), Peleg (1); Hannah (74)
- (3) Son of Anthony (3) & -----; B. 1664; D. 1739-40 Feb. 22; (See: Leander (1); Of Leicestershire, Eng. & L. Compton, R.I. (L.C. Rec. - Arnold); M. 16--; Mary Bailey; M. (2), 1688, Mary Church, b. 1659 (or 1668), d. 1748, Nov. 11, dau. of Jos. & Mary (Tucker) Church; Ch: Henry (5); (2d. w.), Mary (57); Hannah (25); Joseph (19); Dorothy (1); 7 ch. d. y.
- (4) Son of Joseph (19) & Mary (Brownell); B. 1728, Dec. 22; Lt. Militia, 1763-Arnold & Smith; Of L. Compton, R.I. & Dartmouth, Mass.; M. 1747-8, Nov. 27, Eunice Shaw, b. 1728, Oct. 7, dau. of Israel & Abigail (Palmer) Shaw; Ch: Joseph (21); Abigail (92); Benj. (17); Merebah (2); Sarah (58); Eunice (11); Thirza (1) (or Theresa?)
- (5) Son of Benj. (17) & Sarah (Taggart); B. Sept. 17, 1780, or 1786, Sept. 17; See: Julian (1); Of Dartmouth, Mass. Rec. Dr. John Wood (5), Duanesburgh, N.Y., Adm. Est. of his father Benjamin (17). See: Oscar (10)
- (6) Son of George (6) & Desire (Gray); B. 1773, Feb. 14; "D. in New York at 92"; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold & Smith, Probate Rec. L.C., Hist. four Mo. Counties 1888); M. 1798, Lydia Woodman, b. 1773, d. 1863; Military Serv. R.I. Captain. L. Bk. 78; Ch: Holland (1); Comfort (6); Mary (532); John (38)
- (7) Son of Thomas (26) & Content (-----); B. 1707, Apr. 16; D. 1789, bef. Apr. 7; Of L. Compton, R.I., 1774 State Census (Arnold); M. 1730, May 7, Mary Burgess, b. 1712, Sept. 18, d. 174--; dau. of Thos. & Esther (Richmond) Burgess; M. (2), 1745, Feb. 7, Sarah Huddleston, dau. of Henry & Sarah (Case) Huddleston; M. (3); 17--; Jerusha Taber; Ch: Martha (17); Abigail (15); Thomas (28); Constant (2); Mary (58); Avis (1); (2d. w.) Jonathan (52)
- (8) Son of Thomas (28) & Lucy (Winslow); B. 1762, June 22; Of Providence & Scituate, R.I., 1790 Census (Scituate Prob.-Mendon

(31) Son of -----; B. 1---; Of Scott, N.Y. (M.L.K. Coll.); M. 18--; Helen Van Hoesen

(32) Son of -----; B. 1---; Of Providence, R.I. M. at Pawtucket (Arnold Vol. 20- Vol. 18); M. 1827, bef. June 8, Sally Peck

(33) Son of Bernard () & Anne (Comiskey); B. 1845, Mar. 18; Bro. of Barnard (10); Of Brookfield, Mass., 1907, from Ireland (Crane's Worcester Co.)

(34) Son of David (166) & -----; B. 1838; Of Amsterdam, N.Y., 1902

(35) Son of -----; B. 17--; Of Canajoharie, N.Y., 1791; M. 17--; ----- Quackenbos; Ch: David (166)

(36) Son of -----; B. 1789, Dec. 25; D. 1870, July 23; Of Glen, Montg. Co., N.Y. (N.Y. Rec. 1928); M. 18--; Jane -----, b. 1788, Dec. 18, d. 1869, Nov. 28

(37) Son of -----; B. 1---; Of Leyden, Holland, 1623, from Staindrop, Durham, Eng. (N.Y. G. & B. Rec. 1929); M. 1623, Nov. 24, Hester Willet, dau. of Thomas & Alice (-----) Willet, Of Norwich, Norfolk. Who came to N.Y. & was first mayor there (?) (Pilgr. Doc. - Dexter's Leyden)

(38) Son of -----; B. 1801; D. 1888; "Peter B."; Bur. Union Springs, N.Y.; M. 18--; Catherine Burley, b. 1801, d. 1890; Ch: Etsel (2); Winanel (1); James (369)

PETERNEL WOOD

(1) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Goshen, N.Y., 1760, dau.-in-law of Yost Durye (N.Y. Hist. Soc. Coll. Vol. 30 - Wills)

PIERCE WOOD

(1) Son of -----; Bapt. 1784, May 23; Of Tiverton, R.I. - Baptist Ch. (Arnold); (Or Wood Pierce?) See Phebe (3); Persis?

(2) Son of -----; B. 17--; Of N.Y. - Westchester Co. (N.Y. Marr. Lic.); "Pearce"; M. 1764, Catherine Childs

PHARES WOOD

(1) Son of Stukely (1) & Frelove (Jerould); B. 1817, Nov. 11; Of Warwick, R.I. (Gorton Gen.); M. 18--; Phebe A. Cole, b. 1825, dau. of Benj. M. & Mary A. (Arnold) Cole; Ch: Susan (96); Henry (103); Milton (4)

PHEBE WOOD

(1) Dau. of William (25) & Patience (Weaver); B. 17--; Of Scituate, R.I. (Arnold); M. 1761, Feb. 22, Palmer Tanner, 1735-1812 (6 yrs. Fr-Ind. War & Rev. War)

(2) Dau. of Precilla (7) & -----; B.

17--; Of E. Greenwich, R.I. (Arnold Vol. 1); M. 1756, Nov. 11, Benj. Hackstone

(3) Dau. of George (6) & Desire (Gray); B. 1763, May 9; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold); M. 1783, July 3, James Pearce

(4) Dau. of -----; B. 1773; D. 1855; Of Cambridge, Mass. & Madison, N.Y. (Amer. Ances. Vol. 7.189); M. 1797, Elijah Putnam, 1770-1851

(5) Dau. of John (28) & Phebe (Mattison); B. 1805, Feb. 5; "Phebe A."; Of Coventry, R.I.; Twin John (29); M. 1824, Nov. 7, Stephen Waite

(6) Dau. of Abel (1) & Thankful (Landers); B. 1759, Apr. 11; Of Sharon, Conn.

(7) Dau. of Jesse (2) & Mary (Lay-Murdock); B. 17--; Of Saybrook & Westbrook, Conn. (B.T. #13.49); M. 1---, ----- Hayden

(8) Dau. of Nathaniel (3) & Alice (Whitney); B. 1713, Mar. 13; Of Groton & Medford, Mass., Liv. 1770 (Woods Gen.); M. 1733, Oct. 25, James Tufts, b. 1710

(9) Dau. of Eliab (1) & Persis (Rickard); B. 1811-12; Of Carver, Mass.; M. 18--; Thomas Rider

(10) Dau. of George (4) & Sarah (Devol); B. 1750, Oct. 8; Of Dartmouth, Mass. & Scituate, R.I.; M. 1776, May 17, Simeon Wilbur

(11) Dau. of Jonathan (29) & Lillis (Wood); B. 1769, Sept. 5; Of Swansea, Mass.; Unmarried

(12) Dau. of Stephen (8) & -----; B. 17--; Of Richmond, S.I., N.Y., 1781 (N.Y. City Sur. Rec.)

(13) Dau. of Richard (8) & Hannah (Reeves); B. 1709, Oct. 28; Of Southampton, N.Y., 1734; M. 1736, Sept. 3, James Mathews

(14) Dau. of Jonas (5) & Elizabeth (Smith); B. 16--; Of Huntington, N.Y., 1689 (Mack. Colonial Fam. Vol. 3 - Platt Gen.); M. 1667, Epenetus Platt, 1640-1693

(15) Dau. of Stephen (43) & Jemima (Mott); B. 1731; Of Staten Island, N.Y. (N.J. Marr. Lic.); M. lic. 1743, Nov. 26, Silas Beagle

(16) Dau. of Jonah (2) & Elizabeth (-----); B. 1782-3; D. 1816, Jan. 18, age 33; Of Smithtown & Cow Harbor, L.I. (B.T. #16.a.Oct. 17, 1910); M. 18--; Henry Scudder

(17) Dau. of Jedediah (4) & Rebecca (Pitts-Read); B. 1813, Dec. 17; "Phebe L."; Of Manlius, N.Y. (Thayer Memorial); M. 1837, Mar. 2, George Thayer

(18) Dau. of Christopher (1) & Phebe (Johnes); B. 1720; Of Newark, N.J. (#3.a. 109); M. 17--; David Bruen

(19) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Hempstead, L.I., N.Y. (N.Y. Rec. Vol. 1880);

(11) Son of Nathan (77) & -----; B. 1837, Mar. 8; "Russell G."; Of Westport, Mass. Rec.

(12) Son of David (108) & -----; B. 17--; Of Springfield & Holyoke, Mass. (Cutter, 1908); M. 18--; Eunice Boyd; Ch: Edwin (19); John (685); Amos (44); Norris (1); Eliza (48); Harriet (49)

(13) Son of Jesse (47) & Mary (Wells); B. 18--; Of Jeff. Co., N.Y.; M. 18--; Sarah Pool

RUTH WOOD

(1) Dau. of Obadiah (1) & Margaret (Slu); B. 16--; D. 16--; Of Ipswich, Mass. - d. bef. 1694. Left Ch. (Pope's Pioneers). M. 16--; ----- Robbins

(2) Dau. of -----; B. 1---; "Widow of Wm. (6)?" Of Ipswich & Boxford, Mass. & Preston, Conn. (Essex Antiq.); M. 1736, Nov. 16, Jacob Browne

(3) Dau. of Simon (2) & Ruth (Howard); Bapt. 1740, Feb. 13; Of Ipswich, Mass. Rec.

(4) Dau. of Josiah (9) & Mary (Felt); B. 1704, June 4; Of Milford, Mass. & Somers, Conn. (Hist. of Milford, Mass.); M. 1722, Apr. 9, Edmund Evens

(5) Dau. of -----; B. 1---; Of Ipswich, Mass. Rec.; M. 1730, Jan. 3, David Burnum

(6) Dau. of Thomas (1) & Ann (Hunt); B. 1662, July 21; D. 1734, Nov. 29; Of Rowley, Mass. Rec.; M. 1680-81, Jan. 16, Joseph Jewett, 1656-1694; M. (2), 1696, Oct. 26, John Lunt, b. 1669

(7) Dau. of David (21) & Ruth (Hopkins); B. 1733, Mar. 14; D. 1753, Sept. 25; Of Charlestown, Mass. (N. E. Regis.)

(8) Dau. of Thomas (6) & Abigail (Hartshorne); B. 1718, Oct. 24; Of Mansfield, Conn. (Dimock - Bailey); M. 1756, July 14, Perez Anderson

(9) Dau. of -----; B. 1---; Of Sherborn, Mass. Rec.; M. 1819, Nov. 29, Richard Sanger

(10) Dau. of William (2) & Margaret (-----); B. 16--; Of Concord, Mass. (Probate); M. 16--; Thomas Wheeler, 1618-1676

(11) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Newton, Mass. (B.T. #3.21, #7.14-21, #4.109); M. 1778, Phineas Jackson, b. 1755

(12) Dau. of Edward (2) & Ruth (Monsail); B. 1636-7; D. 1696-7, Jan. 18, age 60; Of Charlestown & Malden, Mass. (N.E. Reg. 1869); M. 1658, Feb. 14, Phineas Upham, 1635-1676

(13) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Milford & Northbridge, Mass. (D.A.R. Mag. Sept. 1916); M. 1783, Jan. 16, Abner Adams

(14) Dau. of Josiah (1) & Lydia (Bacon);

Bapt. 1676, April 4; Of Charlestown, Mass.; Perhaps d.y.

(15) Dau. of Abraham (2) & Hannah (Brown); B. 1716, May 6; Of Concord & Sudbury, Mass. Rec.; M. 1737, Dec. 22, Daniel Goodnow, 1707-1777

(16) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Acton & Marlboro, Mass. Rec.; M. 1740, May 26, David Forbush

(17) Dau. of William (20) & Mary (Clark); B. 17--; Of Dartmouth, Mass. (Leonard Fam. Hist.); M. 1739, July 13, Abram Stafford

(18) Dau. of Israel (2) & Phebe (Holt); B. 1779, Nov. 15, D. 1865, Nov. 28; Of Blue Hill, Me. (N.E. Reg. 1910); M. 1811, Mar. 7, James Savage, 1789-1847

(19) Dau. of Thomas (5) & Experience (Abell); B. 1730, Jan. 19; Of Norwalk, Conn. Rec.; M. 17--; "Lawyer Hide"

(20) Dau. of John (100) & Lucy (Avery-Leffingwell); B. 1749, Dec. 3; D. 1825, Aug. 4; Of Groton, Conn. & Galway, N.Y. (B.T. #25.225-31 - #20.88); M. 1767, Apr. 23, Arthur Starkweather, 1739-1799

(21) Dau. of James (19) & Esther (Keith); B. 1745, Aug. 26; Of Uxbridge, Mass. & Douglas (Amidown Gen. 1904); M. 1768, Mar. 3, Samuel Amidown, b. 1742

(22) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Somers, Conn. Rec.; M. 1749, Jan. 9, Chadwell Parsons

(23) Dau. of Daniel (23) & Mary (-----); B. 1757, Apr. 20; Of Norwalk, Conn. (Selleck's)

(24) Dau. of John (139) & Sarah (-----); B. 17--; Of Sherman, Conn. & Pawling, N.Y. (Friends Rec.); M. 1819, May 6, Jonathan Irish

(25) Dau. of John (95) & Susanna (Picket); B. 17-- (33?); Of Norwalk, Conn. (Selleck)

(26) Dau. of Jonathan (23) & Elizabeth (Thurston); B. 1710, Aug. 7; Of L. Compton, R.I. & Dartmouth, Mass. (Arnold)

(27) Dau. of Joseph (19) & Mary (Brownell); B. 1743, Sept. 25; Liv. 1783; Of L. Compton, R.I., 1783 (Newport Co. Probate - Arnold); M. (1), 186-, ----- Brownell; M. (2), bef. 1783, ----- Cook

(28) Dau. of David (32) & Rest (Macomber); B. 1789, Apr. 15, Of Westport, Mass., De Ruyter & Scipio, N.Y. (Friends Rec. N.Y.); M. bef. 1806, Gershom Mosher

(29) Dau. of George (6) & Desire (Gray); B. 1771, Mar. 20; Prob. d. bef. Dec. 13, 1815; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold); M. 1791, Aug. 29, Abel Simmons

(30) Dau. of Gray (1) & Hannah (Hunt); B. 1801, Aug. 14; Of L. Compton, R.I. - bapt. 1808, liv. 1815 (Arnold)

(31) Dau. of Abner (2) & Phebe (Potter); B. 1790, Mar. 25; Of L. Compton, R.I. -

- B. 1741, June 28; D. June 29, 1761; Of Bradford & Andover, Mass.
- (43) Dau. of Thomas (21) & Rebecca (-----); B. 1687, Mar. 1; Of Swansea, Mass.; Twin (B.T. #14.90); M. 1714, Nov., John Baker
- (44) Dau. of John (10) & Bethia (Mason); B. 1695; Sept. 15; Of Swansea, Mass., 1727; Unmarried (B.T. #14.90)
- (45) Dau. of William (23) and Susanna (-----); B. 1696, Mar. 30; Of Swansea, Mass. - d. bef. Dec., 1734
- (46) Dau. of Luther (1) & Susanna (Wing); B. 1776, May 15; Of Dartmouth, Mass. (Leonard Fam. Hist.); M. 1795, Jan. 24, Abner Potter
- (47) Dau. of George (4) & Sarah (Devol); B. 1749, Mar. 3; Of Dartmouth, Mass.; M. 1769, Nov. 24, Wanton Case
- (48) Dau. of Daniel (16) & Rebecca (Ingalls); B. 17--; "Sally"; Of Cheshire, Mass. (L. Bk. 21); M. 1805, July 27, Wigglesworth Burdick
- (49) Dau. of -----; B. 18--; Of Lanesborough, Mass. (Cooke Mss.); M. 1857, Oct. 1, Edward J. Tower
- (50) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Newburyport, Mass. (Rec.); M. 1795, Apr. 5, Theophilus Jacques (int. has "Mrs. Sarah")
- (51) Dau. of Alba (1) & Sally (Pierce); B. 18-- (bef. 1847); Of Swansea, Mass. (Coll. M.S. Lewis); M. 18--; Allen Bowen
- (52) Dau. of Nathan (1) & Rhobe (Mason); B. 1754, Sept. 15; Of Dartmouth, or Rehoboth, Mass. & Wash. Co., N.Y. (Slocum Gen.); M. 1778, Mar. 22, Ebenezer Slocum, b. 1756, (he m. a 2d. wife)
- (53) Dau. of Noah (1) & Elizabeth (Mason-Hale); B. 1738, Jan. 30; Of Swansea & Rehoboth, Mass.; M. 1754, July 3, Peleg Kingsley
- (54) Dau. of David (35) & Mary (Baker); B. 1766, Dec. 5; Of Swansea, Mass.; M. 1789, Aug. 9, Squire Bullock
- (55) Dau. of Henry (6) & Content (Thurston); B. 1726, June 4; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold); M. 1771, July 31, James Chase
- (56) Dau. of Jonathan (23) & Anna (Carr); B. 1725, Jan. 31; Of L. Compton, R.I. - prob. of Cambridge, N.Y., 1790 Census (Arnold); M. 1746, Feb. 5, Samuel Almy
- (57) Dau. of Joseph (19) & Mary (Brown-ell); B. 1737, July 16; D. 1819, Dec. 30; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Family Rec.); M. 1752, Nov. 30, Nathaniel Church, 1732-1825
- (58) Dau. of John (4) & Eunice (Shaw); B. 1768, May 6; Of L. Compton, R.I. & Dartmouth (Arnold - Dartm. Rec.); M. 1788, Feb. 10, Daniel Howland, Jr.
- (59) Dau. of William (149) & -----; B. 17--; Of Warwick, R.I. (Arnold Vol. 1); M. 1739, Oct. 14, John Blanchard, b. 1697
- (60) Dau. of Abner (17) & Mary (Brightman); B. 1776, Mar. 16; Of Dartmouth & Tiverton, Mass. (Leonard & Arnold); M. 1797 (or '99), Dec. 17, Thomas Stoddard
- (61) Dau. of Reuben (3) & Ruth (Wilbur); B. 1784, Nov. 16; D. 1857, Oct. 31; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold); M. 1809, Oct. 28, Walter Greenhill
- (62) Dau. of George (6) & Desire (Gray); B. 1764, Dec. 30; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold); M. 1783, Nov. 27, Hezekiah Barker
- (63) Dau. of Gray (1) & Hannah (Hart); B. 1803, Apr. 19; D. Sept. 9, 1855; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold - Church Fam.); M. 18--; Nathaniel Church, 1801-1882
- (64) Dau. of William () & -----; Bapt. 1790, Tiverton; Sarah S. Wood, bur. Tiverton, d. 1864, June 7, age 86 (Ch. Rec. - Arnold)
- (65) Dau. of John (21) & Alice (Holmes); B. 1698, Aug. 17; Of E. Greenwich, R.I. (Arnold)
- (66) Dau. of William (27) & Mary (Budlong); B. 1700 (abt. 1727?); Of Warwick, R.I., 1826; Single
- (67) Dau. of William (50) & Ann (Collins); B. 1743, Dec. 28; D. 17--; Of Warwick, R.I. (Arnold); D. bef. 1793; M. 17--; William Merrihew
- (68) Dau. of Thomas (35) & Sarah (Wells); B. 1756, Oct. 13; Of Gloucester, R.I., 1807 (Arnold)
- (69) Dau. of John (33) & Mary (Shaw); B. 1753, Jan. 22; Of Middletown, R.I.; M. 1787, Mar. 8, John Manchester
- (70) Dau. of Silas (1) & Jane (Capwell); B. 1751, July 22; Of Coventry, R.I. (Arnold)
- (71) Dau. of Josiah (19) & Hannah (Tucker); B. 1772, Nov. 8; D. 1849, Dec.; Of Dartmouth, Mass. (B.T. #9.39.61); M. 17--; Nathaniel Potter
- (72) Dau. of Otis (1) & Lydia (Anthony); B. 18-- (after 1807); Of Swansea, Mass. (Coll. M.S. Lewis)
- (73) Dau. of Benj. (2) & Priscilla (Rickard); B. 1752, May 2; Of Ashford, Conn.; M. 1773, Aug. 12, Nehemiah Dodge
- (74) Dau. of -----; B. 16--; "Sally"; Of Voluntown, Conn. (B.T. #7.39); M. 17--; Daniel Harris
- (75) Dau. of James (8) & Bridget (Jones); B. 1718, Jan. 14; Of Enfield & Somers, Conn. (Allen's Enfield); M. 1734, Apr. 8, Joseph Jones; M. (2) (2d. w.), 1750, Nov. 18, Samuel Stebbins
- (76) Dau. of John (110) & Mary (Chapin); B. 1770, Nov. 20; Of Somers, Conn. & Middlefield, Mass. (Bailey - Chapin Book);

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 (5) Son of -----; B. 18--; D. 1898; "Joel S."; Of Heath, Mass. to Pawcatuck, R.I., 1856 (Cong'l. Chh. Rec. - Arnold); M. 18--; Sophia -----, d. 1882, May 5
 (6) Son of -----; B. 17--; Of Westboro, Mass., 1790 Census; M. 1787, Nov. 7, Mary Rice
 (7) Son of J----- () & M----- A. (-----); B. 1827; D. 1851, Aug. 2, age 24; "Joel P."; Of Saratoga Co., N.Y. - Bur. Green Ridge Cem.
 (8) Son of -----; B. 18--; D. 1871; Of Burlington Co., N.J. - Will. Cods. & Inv. (Index N.J. Wills)
 (9) Son of -----; B. 17--; D. 1815; Of Cumberland Co., N.J. - Will & Inv. (Index N.J. Wills)
 (10) Son of Daniel (44) & -----; B. 17--; Of Goshen, N.Y. - D. at 88 (Newburgh Bay Hist. Soc. Coll.)
 (11) Son of Nathan (27) & Mehitabel (Covey); B. 1784, May 25; D. 1833, Oct. 11; Of Westminster, Mass., Wife of Athol; M. int. 1818, Nov. 21, Abba M. Sweetser; Ch: Mary (609)
 (12) Son of -----; B. 18--; Of Mass. & N.Y., 1824, Ohio, 1847, Mich. 1882 (Mass. Mag. Vol. 6)
 (13) Son of Jonathan (101) & Sarah (Bradish); B. 1792, Oct. 17; Of Henniker, N.H. (Cogswell's Henniker)
 (14) Son of Samuel (35) & -----; B. 17--; Of Worcester Co., Mass.; M. 1---, Hannah Rockwell; Ch: Emerson (3)
 (15) Son of -----; B. 18--; "Joel T."; Of Grafton, Mass. (New Braintree Marr.); M. int. Apr. 12, 1831, Lucy Samford
 (16) Son of -----; B. 17--; D. 18--; Of Ontario Co., N.Y., 1799, grantor (Ont. Co. Probate); M. 1800, Abiah S., -----; Ch: Clark (4); Sylvia (12); Sarah (490); Emma (23)
 (17) Son of -----; B. 17--; Conneaut, Pa., 1815, gives Mtge.; Salem, Ohio, Oct. 1823, grants to Silas Wood of Conneaut, Penn., land of Henry Wood; Joel & W. Betsey of Salem, gr. to Henry of Conneaut, Penn. 31 Aug. 1822; Clarissa Wood a witness (W.H. Wood-Deeds, Erie Co., Penn.); Joel's Hets in 1837, Jan. 30 - Henry, Hiram & Lyman Wood, Lucinda Veitz, Sophia Thompson, Clarissa Teeple
 (18) Son of -----; B. 1---; Grantee, Jeff. Co., N.Y., 1834, Grantor with wife 1836, land in village of Jubakville (Jeff. Co. Land Rec.); M. 18--; Mary -----
 (19) Son of Henry (215) & Mary (Breesee); B. 1807; D. 1882; Of New York (L. Bk.

113); M. 1825, Sally A. Butts, b. 1808, d. 1880, Ch: Henry (216)

JOHN WOOD

(1) Son of -----; B. 15--; D. 1655, bef. Mar. 17; Of Portsmouth, R.I., 1640, Probate & Land Records; M. 16--; M. (2) 16--; Ch: George (1); John (2); Thomas (21); William (19); Margaret (1); dau, m. Sam'l Jennings; (2d. w.), Susanna (17); Elizabeth (1)
 (2) Son of John (1) & -----; B. 1620; D. 1704; Of Portsmouth & Newport, R.I. Rec.; M. 16--; (2), 16--; Mary Peabody, dau, of John & --- Peabody; Ch: Thomas (26); William (56); (2d. w.), Peleg (1); Hannah (74)
 (3) Son of Anthony (3) & -----; B. 1664; D. 1739-40 Feb. 22; (See: Leander (1); Of Leicestershire, Eng. & L. Compton, R.I. (L.C. Rec. - Arnold); M. 16--; Mary Bailey; M. (2), 1688, Mary Church, b. 1659 (or 1668), d. 1748, Nov. 11, dau, of Jos. & Mary (Tucker) Church; Ch: Henry (5); (2d. w.), Mary (57); Hannah (25); Joseph (19); Dorothy (1); 7 ch. d. y.
 (4) Son of Joseph (19) & Mary (Brownell); B. 1728, Dec. 22; Lt. Militia, 1763-Arnold & Smith; Of L. Compton, R.I. & Dartmouth, Mass.; M. 1747-8, Nov. 27, Eunice Shaw, b. 1728, Oct. 7, dau, of Israel & Abigail (Palmer) Shaw; Ch: Joseph (21); Abigail (92); Benj. (17); Merebah (2); Sarah (58); Eunice (11); Thirza (1) (or Theresa?)
 (5) Son of Benj. (17) & Sarah (Taggart); B. Sept. 17, 1780, or 1786, Sept. 17; See: Julian (1); Of Dartmouth, Mass. Rec. Dr. John Wood (5), Duanesburgh, N.Y., Adm. Est. of his father Benjamin (17). See: Oscar (10)
 (6) Son of George (6) & Desire (Gray); B. 1773, Feb. 14; "D. in New York at 92"; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold & Smith, Probate Rec. L.C., Hist. four Mo. Counties 1888); M. 1798, Lydia Woodman, b. 1773, d. 1863; Military Serv. R.I. Captain. L. Bk. 78; Ch: Holland (1); Comfort (6); Mary (532); John (38)
 (7) Son of Thomas (26) & Content (-----); B. 1707, Apr. 16; D. 1789, bef. Apr. 7; Of L. Compton, R.I., 1774 State Census (Arnold); M. 1730, May 7, Mary Burgess, b. 1712, Sept. 18, d. 174-, dau, of Thos. & Esther (Richmond) Burgess; M. (2), 1745, Feb. 7, Sarah Huddleston, dau, of Henry & Sarah (Case) Huddleston, m. (3), 17--; Jerusha Taber; Ch: Martha (17); Abigail (15); Thomas (28); Constant (2); Mary (58); Avis (1); (2d. w.) Jonathan (52)
 (8) Son of Thomas (28) & Lucy (Winslow); B. 1762, June 22; Of Providence & Scituate, R.I., 1790 Census (Scituate Prob.-Mendon

Mass. Rec.); M. int. 1783, Sept. 1, Sarah Holder; Ch: Thomas (230)
 (9) Son of Constant (2) & Eleanor (Ellis); B. 1773, June 8; D. 1826, July 26, age 54; Of Newport & L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold)
 (10) Son of Thomas (21) & Rebecca (-----); B. 1663; D. 1727, bef. Oct.; Of Swansea, Mass. Rec.; M. 1688, May 23, Bethiah Mason, b. 1665, Oct. 15, dau, of Sampson & Mary (Butterworth) Mason; M. (2), 1711, Jan. 31, Charity (Thurber) Millard; Ch: Mary (48); John (11); Joanna (14); Bethiah (1); Sarah (44); Martha (15); Hopstill (1); Noah (1); Mehitabel (4)
 (11) Son of John (10) & Bethiah (Mason); B. 1689, Dec. 21; D. 1775, July 10; Of Swansea, Mass. Records; M. 1712, Jan. 31, Charity Millard, b. 1693, Apr. 24, dau, of Robert & Charity (Thurber) Millard; Ch: John (12); Bethia (3); Nathan (1); Seth (3); Isaac (18); Penelope (2)
 (12) Son of John (11) & Charity (Millard); B. 1717, Feb. 27; D. 1760, bef. Feb. 5; Of Swansea, Mass. Records; M. 1739, Nov. 1, Hannah (Wheaton) Halle; Ch: Lillis (1); Rachel (21); Lettis (1)
 (13) Son of John (15) & Sarah (Thurber); B. 1760, June 8; D. 1840, May 18; Of Rehoboth & Seekonk, Mass., 1790 Census; M. 1785, Dec. 5, Lydia Thurber; Ch: Lydia (41); Joanna (15); Rosannah (4); David (73); Rhoda (14); Calvin (4); Lucy (17); Samuel (100); Sarah (234)
 (14) Son of Seth (3) & Roby (Rounds); B. 1765, Dec. 4; D. 1828, Mar. 24; "John M."; Of Swansea, Mass. (Peck Gen.); M. 1792, Sept. 2, Hannah Peck, b. 1772, June 16, d. 1844, Apr. 21, dau, of Comfort & ----- Peck; Ch: Roby (8); Timothy (37); Seth (9); Reuben (31); Kingsley (1)
 (15) Son of -----; B. 17--; D. 1799, bef. Apr. 2; Of Rehoboth, Mass., 1790 Census (Bristol Co. Probate); M. int. 1743, Sept. 10, Sarah Thurber, b. 1714, Aug. 12, dau, of John & Sarah (Leonard) Thurber; Ch: David (38); Jonathan (79); Sarah (121); Lewis (4); Hannah (76); Rhoda (7); Roba (4); Patience (15); John (13)
 (16) Son of David (35) & Mary (Baker); B. 1761, July 7; D. abt. or bef. March, 1847; Of Swansea, Mass. (1790 Census) & Herkimer Co., N.Y. (Land & Probate Rec.); M. 1785, Oct. 12, Rachel Easton, b. 1770, d. 1855, bef. Jan. 24; Ch: William (34); Rachel (8); John (17); Gardner (3); Collins (1); Isalah (6); Patience (5); Elizabeth (8); David (37); Brayton (1); Jotham (1); Zerulach (3); Manton (1)
 (17) Son of John (16) & Rachel (Easton); B. 1791; D. 1867, bef. June 15; Of Swan-

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LEAFY-LEAFEE WOOD

(1) Dau. of Nathaniel (34) & Relief (Wild-er); B. 1792, Apr. 5; D. 1849, May 10; Of Packersfield, N.H. (Mack. Colonial Fam.); M. 1813, Dec. 28, Joseph Felt, 1789-1871
 (2) Dau. of John (241) & Elizabeth (Nichols) B. 1783, Jan. 26; D. 1839, Apr. 17; Of Leominster, Mass. (Woods Gen); Unmarried
 (3) Dau. of Squire (6) & Rachel (Steere); B. 1---; Of Danby, Vt.

LEAH WOOD

(22) Dau. of -----; B. 1759; D. 1823; Of Marbletown, N.Y. (St. Nich. Soc. Gen. Rec. 1903); M. 17--; Thomas Kleawater, 1757-1830

LEANDER WOOD

(1) Son of Ezra (4) & Susanna (Wilcox); B. 18--; Of L. Compton, R.I.; M. 18--; Ch: E. Barton Wood
 (2) Son of Samuel (117) & Sophia S. (Soule); B. 1835, Jan. 10; "Leander P."; Of Halifax, Mass. (C.M. Thatcher Rec.); M. 1858, Apr. 29, Marietta Ellsworth
 (3) Son of Joseph (166) & Eunice (Powers); B. 1808, Oct. 22; Of Leominster, Mass. Rec.; M. int. 1841, May 1, Adeline Baldwin
 (4) Son of Joseph (168) & Phebe (Wood); B. 1814, June 9; D. 1839, Sept. 3; "Leander S."; Of Grafton, Mass.
 (5) Son of John (----) & Nancy (Caldwell); B. 1871-2; Of N.S. & Lexington, Mass.; M. 1897, Mar. 16, Agnes Tracy, b. 1870-71, dau, of Patrick & Katie (Ryan) Tracy; Ch: B. & D. Sept., 1897
 (6) Leander (Isaac 3, John 2, John 1); B. 1831; D. 1862; Of Knox Co., Ohio. See: Stephen (117)

Elizabeth (-----) Ellis; M. (2), 1758, Nov. 30, Anna Howard, grd. app. for widow Anna 1799; Ch: Zebulon (1); John (27); Jemima (3); Jonathan (67); Mary (648); Job (5); William (62)
 (27) Son of John (26) & Keziah (Ellis); B. 1740, May 14; D. 1800, Apr. 25; Of Coventry, R.I., 1790 Census (Town & Ch. Rec.); M. 17--; ----- Mattison; Military Service, Havana, 1762; Ch: Thomas (99); Joab (1); See: Anna (101)
 (28) Son of James (131) & -----; B. 1781, Apr. 10; Military Service 1816 Capt.; Of Coventry, R.I., Maple Root Chh. 1812, J.P. 1820; M. 1804, Jan. 15, Phebe Mattison, b. 1784, June 30, dau,

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(2) Son of Stephen (79) & Lavina (Sands); B. 1785 (abt.); Of New Windsor, N.Y. (Newburgh Bay Hist. Soc. Coll. - L. Bk. 98); M. 18--; Electy Woolsey, dau. of David & Rebecca (Thompson) Woolsey; Ch: David (173); Lavina (6); Rebecca (93); Jennie (13)

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(1) Dau. of Harvey (7) & Esther A. (Wilkinson); B. 18--; Of Schuyler, N.Y. (D.A.R. 42420 - L. Bk. 43)

GEORGE WOOD

(1) Son of John (1) & -----; B. 16--; Of Portsmouth, R.I., 1655; Eldest Son (Austin Gen. Dict. - Newport Co. Probate Rec.)
(2) Son of Thomas (21) & Rebecca (-----); B. 1679, July 30; D. 1730-31, Feb. 26; Of Swansea, Mass.; M. 1710, May 21, Rebecca Daggett, b. 1689, Oct. 8, dau. of Nath'l & Rebecca (Miller) Daggett (She m. (2), 1743, Isaac Carter); Ch: Thomas (25); Gershom (1); Rebecca (26); Thankful (5); Lydia (18); Abigail (10); James (28); Hannah (24)

(3) Son of William (19) & Martha (Earle); B. 1667-8; D. 1742, will Oct. 28 pr. Dec. 21; Of Dartmouth, Mass.; M. 1717, Dec. 14, Ann Wilbor, d. 1765, dau. of Joseph & Ann (Brownell) Wilbor; Ch: William (30); George (4)

(4) Son of George (3) & Ann (Wilbor); B. 1723, May 4; D. 1793; Of Dartmouth & Westport, Mass., 1790 Census; M. int. 1744, Dec. 17, Sarah Devol, dau. of Wm. & Sarah (Sisson) Devol; Ch: Zilpha (3); George (5); Sarah (47); Phebe (10); Ann (15); Stephen (9); Martha (10); Rebecca (27)
(5) Son of George (4) & Sarah (Devol); B. 1747, May 27; Of Tiverton, R.I., 1774, Westport, 1790 Census; M. 1767, Apr. 23, Hannah Davenport, b. 1742, dau. of Eliphalet & Anne (-----) Davenport; M. (2), 1772, Dec. 13, Elizabeth Sherman (Prob. m. (2), 1811, Oct. 27, Theo. Devereaux Stockbridge); Ch: Sarah (162); Eunice (26); Anna (81); Ruth (42); George (57); Stephen (31); Rebecca (47); Hannah (104); Elizabeth (169)

(6) Son of Joseph (19) & Mary (Brownell); B. 1730, Nov. 2; D. June, 1820; Am. Rev. War; Of L. Compton, R.I., 1777-1790 (State & Fed. Census); M. 1755, Dec. 30, Comfort Taylor, b. 1735, May 26; m. (2), 1762, Feb. 10, Desire Gray, b. 1735, July 7, d. 1822, Mar.; Ch: Comfort (2); (2d.w.) Phebe (3); Sarah (62); Hannah (33); Lydia (31); Ruth (29); John (6); Gray (1)

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(1) Son of Samuel (239) & Harriet (Ansart); B. 1812, Feb. 9; Of Dracut, Mass.
(2) Son of Simeon (19) & Polly (Sparrow); B. 1812, June 28; Of Middleboro, Mass.

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(1) Son of George (6) & Desire (Gray); B. 1775, Mar. 29; D. 1808, Jan. 17; Of L. Compton, R.I.; M. 1799, Dec. 15, Hannah Hart, b. 1780, Mar. 22, d. 1820, Aug. 31, dau. of Joseph & Almny (-----) Hart; Ch: Ruth (30); Sarah (63); Mary (76); Hannah (34)

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(1) Son of -----; B. 18--; Of Bridge-water, Mass.; M. 18--; Nancy A. V. Washburn, dau. of Calvin Jr. & ----- Washburn

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(29) Dau. of William (358) & Zerviah (Rockwood); Bapt. 1766; Of Athol, Mass.
(30) Dau. of William (57) & Hannah (Shaw); B. 1733, Feb. 20; Of Dartmouth, Mass.; M. int. Nov. 19, 1758, Caleb Murdock
(31) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Rehoboth, Mass. & Barrington, R.I.; M. 1794, March 6, Daniel Rounds
(32) Dau. of William (24) & Keziah (Martin); B. 1719, Jan. 13; Of Swansea, Mass. (D. early? or Anne (18)?)

(33) Dau. of George (6) & Desire (Gray); B. 1766, Nov. 21; Of L. Compton, R.I.; M. 1791, Feb. 6, Gideon Durfee

(34) Dau. of Gray (1) & Hannah (Hart); B. 1807; "Hannah G."; Of L. Compton, R.I., 1815

(25) Dau. of John (3) & Mary (Church); B. 1701, Oct. 7; D. 1756, Aug. 11; Of L. Compton & Bristol, R.I.; M. 1721, Jan. 5, Jonathan Peck, 1699-1757

(26) Dau. of Benj. (41) & Mary (Casey); B. 1765, Nov. 2; Of E. Greenwich, R.I., 1822; M. (2d. w.) 1813, Feb. 12, Peleg Whitman

(27) Dau. of -----; B. 17--; Of Swansea, Mass.; M. 1789, Sept. 3, Ezra Chase

(28) Dau. of Joseph (19) & Mary (Brownell); B. 1734, Dec. 26; D. 1815, Feb. 3; Of L. Compton, R.I.; M. 1754, Mar. 7, Ebenezer Church, 1726-1823

(31) Dau. of George (6) & Desire (Gray); B. 1768, Dec. 12; D. 1858, July 27; Of L. Compton, R.I. & Knob, N.Y.; M. 1790, Nov. 7, David Seabury, 1767-1845
(32) Dau. of Titus (2) & Susanna (-----); B. 1787, July 8; Twin; Of Lanesboro, Mass. & Trenton, N.Y. (Sampson Gen. Berks. Co. Deeds); M. 1807, June 30, Isaac Powell

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(27) Dau. of Joseph (19) & Mary (Brownell); B. 1743, Sept. 25; Liv. 1783; Of L. Compton, R.I., 1783 (Newport Co. Probate - Arnold); M. (1), 186-, -----Cook Brownell; M. (2), bef. 1783, -----
(28) Dau. of David (32) & Rest (Macomber); B. 1789, Apr. 15, Of Westport, Mass., De Ruyter & Scipio, N.Y. (Friends Rec. N.Y.); M. bef. 1806, Gershom Mosher
(29) Dau. of George (6) & Desire (Gray); B. 1771, Mar. 20; Prob. d. bef. Dec. 13, 1815; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold); M. 1791, Aug. 29, Abel Simmons
(30) Dau. of Gray (1) & Hannah (Hunt); B. 1801, Aug. 14; Of L. Compton, R.I. - bapt. 1808, liv. 1815 (Arnold)
(31) Dau. of Abner (2) & Phebe (Potter); B. 1790, Mar. 25; Of L. Compton, R.I. -

COMFORT WOOD

(1) Dau. of John (7) & Mary (Burgess); B. 1734, Oct. 15; Of L. Compton, R.I.; prob. d. bef. 1785

(2) Dau. of Geo. (6) & Comfort (Taylor); B. 1755, Aug. 20; Of L. Compton, R.I.; M. 1775, Mar. 2, Billings Grinnell

(3) Dau. of Isaac (16) & Susanna (Taylor); B. 1775, May 1; D. 1806, Mar. 15; Of L. Compton, R.I. & Pleasant Valley, N.Y.; M. 17--; Nathaniel Wood (21)

(4) Dau. of Thomas (28) & Lucy (Winslow); B. 1771, July 17; D. 1797, Of L. Compton & Scituate, R.I.; Unmarried

(5) Ch. of John (727) & Hannah (-----); B. 1751; Of Oxford, N.H., 1765

(6) Dau. of John (6) & Lydia (Woodman); B. 1802; D. 1894, Of L. Compton, R.I. & Hamilton, N.Y.; M. 18--; Uriah Denton, 1803-1888

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(3) Dau. of George (6) & Desire (Gray); B. 1763, May 9; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold); M. 1783, July 3, James Pearce

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(56) Dau. of Jonathan (23) & Anna (Carr); B. 1725, Jan. 31; Of L. Compton, R.I. - prob. of Cambridge, N.Y., 1790 Census (Arnold); M. 1746, Feb. 5, Samuel Almny
(57) Dau. of Joseph (19) & Mary (Brownell); B. 1737, July 16; D. 1819, Dec. 30; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Family Rec.); M. 1752, Nov. 30, Nathaniel Church, 1732-1825
(58) Dau. of John (4) & Eunice (Shaw); B. 1768, May 6; Of L. Compton, R.I. & Dartmouth (Arnold - Dartm. Rec.); M. 1788, Feb. 10, Daniel Howland, Jr.

(59) Dau. of William (149) & -----; B. 17--; Of Warwick, R.I. (Arnold Vol. 1); M. 1739, Oct. 14, John Blanchard, b. 1697
(60) Dau. of Abner (17) & Mary (Brightman); B. 1776, Mar. 16; Of Dartmouth & Tiverton, Mass. (Leonard & Arnold); M. 1797 (or '99), Dec. 17, Thomas Stoddard
(61) Dau. of Reuben (3) & Ruth (Wilbur); B. 1784, Nov. 16; D. 1857, Oct. 31; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold); M. 1809, Oct. 28, Walter Greenhill

(62) Dau. of George (6) & Desire (Gray); B. 1764, Dec. 30; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold); M. 1783, Nov. 27, Hezekiah Barker

(63) Dau. of Gray (1) & Hannah (Hart); B. 1803, Apr. 19; D. Sept. 9, 1855; Of L. Compton, R.I. (Arnold - Church Fam.); M. 18--; Nathaniel Church, 1801-1882

(64) Dau. of William () & -----; Bapt. 1790, Tiverton; Sarah S. Wood, bur. Tiverton, d. 1864, June 7, age 86 (Ch. Rec. - Arnold)

Rhode Island in the Colonial Wars

A List of Rhode Island Soldiers & Sailors

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Old French & Indian War
1755-1762

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WILSON

John Served in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757.

Joseph Served in Capt. Jenckes' Co. in 1756.

WINDSOR, Joseph of Providence Appointed Captain of special company in Sept. 1756; appointed and served as Captain of Sixth Co. of Col. Hopkins' Regt. in Oct. 1756, and volunteered on alarm of Aug. 1757.

WINGOOD, Samuel Served as ordinary seaman on H. M. S. Pembroke in 1759 and 1760.

WINMAN, Richard Served in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757, in Col.

WINDMAN, Harris' Regt. in 1760, and in Col. Rose's Regt. in 1762.

WINRIGHT, Thomas of E. Greenwich Served in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757.

WID, Abner Served in Major Burkett's Co. in 1760.

WOLLARD, Richard Served in Capt. Belcher's Co. in 1756, and in Col. Babcock's Co. in 1758 and 1759.

WONKUM, Ebenezer Served in Capt. J. Whiting's Co. in 1757.

WOOD, Benjamin of Warwick Served in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757, and in Col. Harris' Regt. in 1760.

✓ George of Little Compton Marched on alarm of Aug.

1757.

Henry of Little Compton Marched as Ensign on alarm of Aug. 1757.

John Served in Capt. J. Whiting's Co. in 1757, in Capt. E. Whiting's Co. in 1758 and 1759, in campaign of 1760, and in Capt. Russell's Co. at Havana in 1762.

John Served in Capt. Fry's Co. at Havana in 1762.

Nathan Served in campaign of 1760, and in Capt. Kimball's Co. in 1761.

Thomas of Newport Served in Col. Hopkins' Regt. in 1756, and in campaign of 1762.

William of Warwick Marched on alarm of Aug. 1757.

William, Jr., of Warwick Marched on alarm of Aug.

1757.

Zebulon of Coventry Served in Capt. Wall's Co. in 1757, and in Capt. Fry's Co. at Havana in 1762.

WOODBURY, Ebenezer of Newport Marched on alarm of Aug.

1757.

✓ (This must be our Lt. George Wood who fought in the Rev. War, for he was the only man of that name in Little Compton at the time--njz)

"By our parties just came in, we have certain accounts that the fort is destroyed; and that the enemy are drawing off. We have about four thousand militia here, and two thousand troops."

The danger by which Fort William Henry was threatened greatly alarmed the Colony. The General Assembly met on August 10th, and not as yet having heard of the loss of Fort William Henry, passed an act which drafted one sixth of the militia of the colony, probably about 1000 men, for service in the relief of Fort William Henry. Col. John Andrews was given the command of this regiment. On August 15th thirty-four prominent men of Providence who were not subject to the draft volunteered their services and signed a paper of that import. Of a muster roll of 113 men who marched out of Newport County in answer to this call, 21 were volunteers.

This Second Rhode Island regiment went no farther than Connecticut, when news was received that Fort William Henry had fallen. The men returned home and the October Assembly after regulating their pay for this service, voted to re-enlist 250 men for service in the army during the pleasure of the General Assembly.

Ninety of these did garrison service at Saratoga. Capt. Ebenezer Whiting was given the command of those who were garrisoned at Fort Edward during the winter.

If the campaign of 1756 had disheartened the English, that of 1757 was still more discouraging. The expedition against Louisburg had come to naught, Fort William Henry had been lost, and from Europe came the still more discouraging news that the Duke of Cumberland had been decisively defeated by D'Estrees.

As well as sending the quota to the Colonial contingent, Rhode Island had strengthened and garrisoned Fort George at Newport, and had also equipped and sent forth many privateers which had made severe and telling inroads upon the enemy's maritime commerce.

The following letter gives a concise description of the conditions in the Colony in 1758;

A little about the

claim of 1757

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Oct 1899 - these not yet had time to go through the names listed here to see which were new but some are already and some are new. George Wood is, and some of the H. Woodman at Appomattox and in many official and listed, and some civil official see as in the list of the names (and ones at this time a team official with judicial power).

1767. June. 1767

Newport:

- 3d. Capt. William Davis, Lt. Sam. Davenport, Ens. Elisha Lawton.
4th. Capt. Benoni Peckham, Lt. Nath'l Gladding, Ens. James Davis.

Portsmouth:

- 1st. Capt. Jonathan Cornell, Lt. Joseph Borden, Ens. Wm. Cornell.
2nd. Capt. James Allen, 2nd, Lt. Thomas Allen,
Ens. William Remington.

New Shoreham:

- Capt. Edward Hull, Lt. Thomas Dickens, Ens. John Mott.

Jamestown:

- Capt. William Martin, Lt. Benj. Carr (son of Thomas),
Ens. Samuel Slocum, Jr.

Middletown:

- Capt. Henry Tew, Jr., Lt. William Brown, Ens. Robert Cornell.

Tiverton:

- 1st. Capt. Joseph Tabor, Lt. John Cooke, Ens. Benjamin Sawdey.
2nd. Capt. Pierre Perry, Lt. David Shearman,
Ens. John Stafford (son of Joseph).

Little Compton:

- ✓ Capt. George Wood, Lt. Peleg Wood, Ens. Isaac Southworth. 1767

Newport County Troop of Horse:

- 1st. Capt. Isaac Dayton, Lt. Sandford Gardner, Cornet James Cottrell,
Qr.-Master Benedict Dayton.
2nd. Capt. Joshua Brownel, Lt. John Brownel, Cornet Gideon Shaw,
Qr.-Master Benj. Crandal.

Providence County Regiment:

- Col. Thomas Angell, Lt.-Col. Abraham Winsor, Maj. Chadd Brown.

Providence:

- 1st. Capt. Henry Bacon, Lt. Elijah Bacon, Ens. Richard Godfrey.

Smithfield:

- 1st. Capt. Gideon Sayles, Lt. Benjamin Medbury,
Ens. Richard Harris, Jr.

- 2nd. Capt. Enoch Sprague, Lt. Simon Aldrich, Ens. Israel Mowrey.

- 3d. Capt. Stephen Keth, Lt. William Potter, Ens. John Smith, Jr.

Scituate:

- 1st. Capt. Andrew Angell, Lt. Joseph Knight, Ens. Jeremiah Fisk.

- 2nd. Capt. Samuel Dorrance, Jr., Lt. Simeon Herrenden,
Ens. Constant Weaver.

- 3d. Capt. Joseph Kimbal, Jr., Lt. Bays Manchester,
Ens. Hanan Hopkins.

- 4th. Capt. John Round, Lt. John Colwell, Jr.,
Ens. Ric'd Smith (son of John).

Gloucester:

- 1st. Capt. David Burlingham, Lt. Samuel Steere,
Ens. Nathan Pain, Jr.

1768. Sept.

Newport:

- 3d. Capt. Samuel Davenport, Lt. Elisha Lawton,
Ens. Stephen Hawkins.

- 4th. Capt. Benoni Peckham, Lt. Nath'l Gladding, Ens. James Davis.

Portsmouth:

- 1st. Capt. Joseph Borden, Lt. John Earle, Ens. Matthew Cooke.

- 2nd. Capt. James Allen, 2nd, Lt. Thos. Allen, Ens. Wm. Remington.

New Shoreham:

- Capt. Edward Hull, Lt. Thomas Dickens, Ens. John Mott.

James town:

- Capt. William Martin, Lt. Benjamin Carr, Ens. Samuel Slocum.

Middletown:

- Capt. Matthew Coggeshall, Lt. Elisha Peckham, Ens. Elisha Barker.

Tiverton:

- 1st. Capt. John Cooke (son of Samuel), Lt. Benjamin Earl,
Ens. Philip Gray.

- 2nd. Capt. Dan'l Dwelly, Lt. John Jennings, Jr., Ens. John Stafford.

Little Compton:

- ✓ Capt. George Wood, Lt. Daniel Searle, Ens. Isaac Bailey. —→ 1768

Newport County Troop of Horse:

- 1st. Capt. George Cornell, Lt. Sanford Gardner,
Cornet James Cotterel, Qr.-Master Benedict Dayton.

- 2nd. Capt. Joshua Brownell, Lt. John Brownell,
Cornet Gideon Shaw, Qr.-Master Benjamin Crandal.

June.

Providence County Regiment:

- Col. Knight Dexter, Lt.-Col. Amos Atwell, Maj. Chadd Brown.

Sept.

Providence:

- 1st. Capt. Eseek Brown, Lt. Jonathan Arnold, Ens. Richard Godfrey.

- 2nd. Capt. Bernard Eddy, Lt. Elijah Bacon, Ens. Joseph Martin.

Smithfield:

- 1st. Capt. Gideon Sayles, Lt. Benj. Medbury, Ens. Richard Harris, Jr.

- 2nd. Capt. Simeon Aldrich, Lt. Israel Mowrey, Ens. William Staples.

- 3d. Capt. Stephen Keth, Lt. William Potter, Ens. William Winsor.

Scituate:

- 1st. Capt. Andrew Angell, Lt. Joseph Knight, Ens. Jeremiah Fiske.

- 2nd. Capt. Peter Cooke, Lt. Simon Herrenden, Ens. Constant Weaver.

- 3d. Capt. Joseph Kimbal, Lt. John Pratt, Ens. Philemon Hynes.

- 4th. Capt. John Round, Lt. John Colvill,
Ens. Richard Smith (son of John).

1779. Sept.

Little Compton Alarm Company:

✓ Capt. Peres Richmond, 1st Lt. George Wood, 2nd Lt. Gideon Simmons.
Jamestown:

Capt. Edward Carr, Jr., Lt. John Weeden (son of Daniel, Jr.),
Ens. Samuel Carr.

Regiment Bristol County Militia:

Col. Nathan Miller, Lt.-Col. Peter Church, Maj. Peleg Heath.

Bristol:

Capt. William Throop, Lt. Joseph Reynold, Ens. Jonathan Diamond.

Barrington:

Capt. Vial Allen, Lt. Daniel Kinnicutt, Ens. John Short, Jr.
May.

Brig.-Gen. William West, Providence County Brigade.

1st Regiment—Providence County:

Col. Amos Atwell, Lt.-Col. Simon Whipple, Maj. Rich'd Fenner, Jr.
Lt.-Col. Richard Fenner, Jr., Major Eleazer Jenckes.

Providence:

- 1st. Capt. Abimelech Riggs, Lt. Hezekiah Dayton, Ens. Joseph Allen.
- 2nd. Capt. Lewis Peck, Lt. Samuel Hamlin, Ens. Walker Harding.
- 3d. Capt. Charles Keen, Lt. Seth Wheaton, Ens. Jonathan Yeates.
- 4th. Capt. James Snow, Lt. Zephaniah Brown, Ens. Joseph Fuller.

Sept.

- 1st. Lt. Joseph Allen, in room of Hezekiah Dayton, who declines.
Ens. Isaac Bowen, in room of Jos. Allen, advanced.

May.

Johnston:

- 1st. Capt. Daniel Sprague, Lt. Robert Potter, Ens. Isaac Arnold.
- 2nd. Capt. Emor Olney, Lt. Daniel Angell, Ens. Laban Waterman.

June.

- 2nd. Capt. Daniel Angell, in room of Emor Olney, who declines,
Lt. Laban Waterman, Ens. Ezekiel Olney.

North Providence:

Lt. Esek Jenckes, Ens. Benjamin Cowan.

May.

Cranston:

- 1st. Capt. Anthony Potter, Lt. Thos. Congdon, Ens. George Colvin.
- 2nd. Capt. Frederick Williams, Lt. Nathaniel Carpenter,
Ens. John Harris.

Oct.

- 1st. Capt. Thomas Congdon, Lt. George Colvin, Ens. Wm. Warner.

← This was used for proof of service on DAR application.

You will note from the reverse that George Wood had previously been a Captain (1767-1768 lists) but that was in the home guard/train band, for preparedness in case of war or emergency.

In 1779 George was 48 years old, probably less agile than Lt. Simmons, so he took over from Captain Richmond.

Four men which should have been included in the aforementioned Divisions but Marchd before an Account was taken.

William Hodge
Patrick Hambleton
W.^m Lyon Negro
James Anderson

All the Men of which the aforewritten is a List of their Names Marchd from the Town of Newport.

* * *

The following Men Marchd with Joshua Coggeshall Officer from Middletown an Acco.^t taken in Providence when they March off from thence.

Edward Barker
Jos Brown
Tho Rainer
Henry Tew J.^r

The following With Cap.^t
Benj.^a Cornel, Cap.^t of the first Company of Portsmouth, but taken out of both Companies.
Nath.¹ Allen

John Tallman
Giles Coggeshall
John Phillips
Edward Barker
Rich.^d Hoth J.^r
Jon.^a Fisk
John Shelley
Peter Burrington
Tho: Hoth
Jos Hart
Nath.¹ Stones
John Taber

The following With Cap.^t
Tho Church of the Troop of Horse & Henry Wood
Ensign of y^e Foot from Little Compton.

George Wood ✓
Nath.¹ Searl
Cornelius Simmons
Ephraim Richmond
Edward Church
Edward Gray
John Williston
Luke Horswell
Isaac Southworth
Nicholas Faulkner
Fobes Little
John Bennet
W^m Willcox
Aaron Simmons
Jeremiah Shaw

Thomas Shaw
Sylvester Richmond

James Searl
Stephen Megg

Providence August 18.th 1757

The aforewritten is as exact a List or Muster Roll as we can procure of that Part of the Regiment raised in the Colony of Rhode Island for the Present Expedition which marchd out of the County of Newport — having had no return of the Men which marchd out of Bristol & Tiverton nor can we get any.

Josias Lyndon Coll
Godf:^r Malbone L.¹ Coll

[docketed] List of the Souldiers Raised in County of Newport Under Colonel Andrews.

French & Indian War
The ill-fated Fort William Henry was site of a massacre in the true story "Last of the Mohicans".
This proves that our ancestor George Wood (later Rev Asaht) the only man of that name then living in Little Compton, marched to the aid of the fort, but was too late.

A MUSTER ROLL OF NEWPORT COUNTY TROOPS

Sent toward Albany in 1757

by CLARKSON A. COLLINS, 3rd



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ON August 9, 1757, Fort William Henry on Lake George was surrendered, after a five-day siege, to a numerically superior French force. When news of the disaster arrived fear of further enemy advances swept New England, and the Rhode Island General Assembly at once passed "An ACT for raising One Sixth Part of the Militia in this Colony, to proceed immediately to *Albany*, to join the Forces which have marched to oppose the *French* near Lake *George*."

The act provided that "the Names of all Persons in the List of each Company, . . . be written on a Scroll of Paper, and rolled up, and then put into a Hat or Box, and one Sixth Part thereof shall be drawn (unless the Company agree, that the Commission Officers shall press said Sixth Part) . . ."

The troops started out for Albany but were recalled, the emergency having passed.

The muster roll of Newport County troops printed here is in the collection of The Rhode Island Historical Society. A contemporary copy, not signed by the commanding officers, is in the Rhode Island Archives.

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MUSTER ROLL of that Part of the Regiment raised in the Colony of Rhode Island for the Present Expedition which marchd out of the County of Newport.

Newport Aug.^t 16.th 1757 [crossed out]

first Division
Eben.^r Rumreil L.^t
Charles Cox
Benj.^a Vaughan
W.^m Middleton
Joseph Edwards
Matthew Thompson
W.^m Manwhom
Benj.^a Allen
Charles Cooke, hurt on y.^e
Road and Stoppd
Ezekiel Saunders
Francis Scott
May Davis
Elias Kettle
John Jones
Justice Lawrence
Nath.^l Munro
Christ.^r Linsey
Solomon Gladding

18

Joseph Cowley
George Thompson
Timothy Henry Allen
John Brown
2.^d Division
Joseph Wanton J.^r L.^t Coll
Joseph Belcher L.^t
Caleb Gardner J.^r L.^t
Timothy Balch Ensign
Peter Mumford Cornet
Nicholas Little
George Cornel
Elias Roberts
Ebenezer Dunton
John Wills
William Wyatt
Jon.^a Maxon
Norbert Wignerion
John Bowles
Eben.^r Woodberry
Thomas King
Josiah Keene
John Killburn Volunteer
Philip Mosher
Mark Robinson Vol.
Robert Brattle
Cesar Bartholomew

Volentiers
Sion Martindale 1 L.^t
W.^m Ladd 2 L.^t
W.^m Simms
W.^m Greene
Jon.^a Shearman

Thomas Hudson
John Hunt Vol.
James Scarle
Charles Rightson
John Shaw
Sylvester Luther
John Garzia
John Norris

3.^d Division

John Wright Cap.^t
Joseph Price
John Campbell
Joshua Fisk
Richard Joyes
Benjamin Dunham
Amos Sheffield
John Shepherd
Law.^r Lessley
Benj.^a Sanford
George Whitehorn
Benj.^a Rust
Josiah an Indian
Charles Church
James Clarke
Rufus Church
Tho.^a Swinburn
Isaac Hall
W.^m Ross
Israel Barney
Benj.^a Reynolds
Sam.^l Young
George Brown

} Volunt.^{rs}

Henry Whiting
John Taylor
Jack Malbone
Clarke Hall
Caleb Peckham J.^r
Adonijah Mayhew

4.th Division

Timothy Ingraham Ensign
Phineas Morris Vol.
John Ewin
W.^m Chandler Vol.
Jos: Austin
W.^m Cooper
Ezekiel Sprague
Jos: Willbor
Ezekiel Yeoman
W.^m Carter
John Simms
John Perry
Nicholas Bryant

5.th Division

Thomas Bently Ensign
Constant Willbor
John Davis
W.^m Hall
Jon.^a Weedon
W.^m Pew
Christian Bussenbury
Elijah Knap Volunteer
Tho.^a Collins
Jeremiah Heffernan, Ensign,
Vol.



89	WOODWORTH Samuel, of Ezekiah and Abigail,	died Jan. —, 1778.
89	" Esther,	—, 1739.
2-23	" Esther, of Elisha and Edeth,	July 14, 1791.
2-23	" Ezekiah,	May 14, 1793.
2-23	" Anna,	Feb. 28, 1794.
2-23	" Abigail,	March 22, 1797.
2-23	" Samuel,	Jan. 24, 1799.
2-23	" Hannah,	June 13, 1801.
2-23	" Lydia,	Nov. 8, 1803.
2-23	" Sarah,	Nov. 8, 1803.
2-23	" Mary,	Oct. 12, 1806.
2-23	" Daniel,	Feb. 27, 1808.
2-23	" Rachel,	Nov. 21, 1811.
2-23	" Elisha,	June 8, 1817.
2-23	" Elisha,	May 7, 1814.
4-5	" Samuel, Jan. 24, 1799.	
4-5	" Almira (Wilbor), his wife, (Sept. 4, 1804),	
4-5	" Charles Wilbor, of Samuel and Almira,	Dec. 26, 1824.
4-5	" Lydia Ann,	April 22, 1834.
4-13	" Elisha, June 8, 1817.	
4-13	" Lydia (Brownell), his wife, Aug. 9, 1821.	
4-13	" Lydia Maria, of Elisha and Lydia,	—, 184—.
4-13	" Elisha Edward,	Oct. 28, 1842.
2-23	" John Q. A., of Ezekiah and Rhoda,	Oct. 18, 1829.
2-23	" Henry Staples,	Oct. 29, 1835.
2-29	" David Sylvester, of David and Amey,	Aug. 5, 1830.
4-533	" Mary, died, aged 39y. 4m. 5d., Feb. 17, 1846.	
4-536	" Abby B.,	died Dec. 8, 1851.
10	WOOD John, 1694; d. Feb. 22, 1740.	
10	" Mary (—), his wife, 1650; d. Nov. 11, 1748.	
10	" John, of John and Mary,	July 18, 1689.
10	" John,	died March 13, 1712.
10	" Mary,	March 14, 1691.
10	" Sarah,	Nov. 6, 1692.
10	" Sarah,	died March 8, 1712.
10	" Deborah,	March 7, 1694.
10	" Deborah,	died March 16, 1712.
10	" Margaret, of John and Mary,	April 20, 1696.
10	" Margaret,	d. March 9, 1712.
10	" Abigail,	Dec. 6, 1697.
10	" Abigail,	d. March 16, 1712.
10	" Elizabeth,	Nov. 6, 1699.
10	" Elizabeth,	d. March 10, 1712.
10	" Hannah,	Oct. 7, 1701.
10	" Rebecca,	Nov. 4, 1703.
10	" Joseph,	Dec. 23, 1705.
10	" Joseph,	d. Jan. 22, 1767.
10	" Dorothy,	Dec. 12, 1707.
10	" Thomas, 1688; d. May 10, 1729.	
10	" Elizabeth, of Thomas,	May 22, 1692.
10	" Content,	Jan. 15, 1694.
10	" Rebecca,	April 17, 1696.
10	" Thomas,	Jan. 26, 1698.
10	" Thomas,	died Aug. 20, 1729.
10	" William,	Feb. 7, 1700.
10	" Mary,	Feb. 6, 1702.
10	" Desire,	Aug. 17, 1704.
10	" John,	April 16, 1707.
10	" Deliverance,	May 4, 1711.
81	" Jonathan,	
81	" Elizabeth (Thurston), his wife, Nov. 29, 1632; d. Aug. 27, 1717.	
81	" Rebecca, of Jonathan and Elizabeth,	Dec. 24, 1704.
81	" Bridget,	June 22, 1706.
81	" Elizabeth,	Jan. 31, 1708.
81	" Ruth,	Aug. 7, 1710.

*Let John &
Mary (Church)
Read —
George's
grandparents*

*George's
father*

103	WOOD Eunice (Shaw), his wife, Oct. 7, 1723.	
103	" Joseph, of John and Eunice,	May 13, 1753.
103	" Abigail,	Sept. 25, 1757.
103	" Benjamin,	June 19, 1760.
103	" Merubah,	Oct. 14, 1762.
103	" Sarah,	May 6, 1768.
103	" Eunice,	Oct. 19, 1770.
103	" Thirza,	June 13, 1773.
103	" George, Nov. 2, 1730; died June —, 1820.	
103	" Comfort (Taylor), his wife, May 23, 1735.	
103	" Comfort, of George and Comfort,	Aug. 20, 1755.
103	" Desire (Gray), his 2d wife, July 7, 1735; died March —, 1822.	
103	" Phebe, of George and Desire,	May 9, 1763.
103	" Sarah,	Dec. 30, 1764.
103	" Hannah,	Nov. 21, 1766.
103	" Lydia,	Dec. 12, 1768.
103	" Ruth,	March 20, 1771.
103	" John,	Feb. 14, 1773.
103	" Gray,	March 29, 1775.
104	" Thomas, April 12, 1736.	
104	" Lydia (Kirby), his wife.	
104	" Lois, of Thomas and Lydia,	Jan. 6, 1761.
104	" John,	June 22, 1762.
104	" Daniel,	Aug. 12, 1764.
104	" Lemuel,	June 18, 1766.
104	" Joseph,	Nov. 24, 1768.
104	" Thomas,	July 17, 1771.
104	" Comfort,	July 17, 1771.
159	" Ichabod,	
159	" Elizabeth (Brownell), his wife, June 12, 1748.	
159	" Constant, of Ichabod and Elizabeth,	Oct. 3, 1770.
159	" Jediah,	Oct. 23, 1772.
159	" Henry,	March 20, 1781.
151	" Reuben, Feb. 20, 1752; died Sept. —, 1810.	
151	" Abigail (Brownell), his wife, March 13, 1751.	
151	" Peleg, of Reuben and Abigail,	June 27, 1774.
151	" Ruth (Wilbor), his 2d wife, Aug. 30, 1753.	
151	" Peleg, of Reuben and Ruth,	Sept. 24, 1779.
151	" Charles,	Dec. 24, 1781.
151	" Charles,	d. April 13, 1850.
151	" Sarah,	Nov. 18, 1784.
151	" Sarah,	d. Oct. 31, 1837.
151	" William,	April 21, 1788.
151	" Borden,	Jan. 18, 1791.
151	" Borden,	d. (July 28, 1870).

Note.—These children also recorded 2-13.

151	" Hannah (Wilbor), his 3d wife, Sept. 18, 1752; d. Feb. 11, 1820.	
103	" Isaac, June 16, 1752.	
103	" Susanna (Taylor), his wife, Dec. 29, 1754.	
103	" Comfort, of Isaac and Susanna,	May 1, 1775.
103	" Mary,	March 2, 1778.
103	" Stacey,	July 10, 1781.
103	" Deborah,	Dec. 4, 1785.
103	" Susanna,	Jan. 4, 1788.
103	" Maricetta,	Jan. 30, 1791.
162	" Joseph, 2d, May 13, 1753.	
162	" Elizabeth (Church), his wife.	
162	" Nancy, of Joseph, 2d, and Elizabeth,	Feb. 6, 1777.
162	" Peasey,	March 8, 1779.
2-15	" Flintham, of Constant and Eleanor,	Aug. 19, 1767.
2-13	" Mordecai,	March 13, 1769.
2-15	" John,	June 8, 1773.
2-70	" Gray, March 29, 1775.	
2-79	" Hannah (—), his wife, March 22, 1780.	
"	" (—) of (—) and (—)	

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*West
Save these!*

81	WOOD Susanna, of Jonathan and Elizabeth,	June 21, 1712.
81	" Jonathan,	July 5, 1714.
81	" Mary,	Jan. 9, 1716.
82	" Henry, d. March —, 1758.	
82	" Content (Thurston), his wife, Aug. 18, 1691.	
82	" Henry, of Henry and Content,	Nov. 17, 1716.
82	" William,	Sept. 7, 1720.
82	" William,	d. March 9, 1724.
82	" Peleg,	March 20, 1722.
82	" Sarah,	June 4, 1726.
82	" Rebecca,	Dec. 15, 1727.
82	" Rebecca,	d. Jan. —, 1797.
82	" Thomas,	March 3, 1733.
81	" Jonathan,	
81	" Anna (Carr), his 2d wife, Feb. 25, 1696.	
81	" Margaret, of Jonathan and Anna,	April 26, 1719.
81	" Esck,	Nov. 13, 1720.
81	" Job,	Dec. 6, 1722.
81	" Sarah,	Jan. 31, 1725.
42	" William, Feb. 7, 1700.	
42	" Hannah (Shaw), his wife, March 7, 1699.	
42	" Zilpha, of William and Hannah,	Aug. 4, 1720.
42	" Walter,	Feb. 4, 1721.
42	" Walter,	died Feb. 14, 1726.
42	" Antrace,	Sept. 14, 1722.
42	" Content,	Jan. 10, 1726.
42	" Drusilla,	May 9, 1729.
42	" Zerulab,	Jan. 8, 1731.
42	" Hannah,	Feb. 20, 1733.
42	" Joseph, Dec. 23, 1705; died, Jan. 22, 1767.	
42	" Mary (Brownell), his wife, Nov. 9, 1700; died Oct. 6, 1791.	
42	" John, of Joseph and Mary,	Dec. 22, 1728.
42	" George,	Nov. 2, 1730.
42	" George,	died June —, 1820.
42	" Paul,	Jan. 19, 1733.
42	" Paul,	died March 31, 1734.
42	" Hannah,	Dec. 22, 1734.
42	" Hannah,	died Feb. 3, 1815.
42	" Sarah,	July 16, 1737.
42	" Sarah,	died Dec. 30, 1819.
42	" Deborah,	Nov. 30, 1739.
42	" Deborah,	died Jan. —, 1784.
42	" Paul, 2d,	Sept. 5, 1741.
42	" Ruth,	Sept. 25, 1743.
42	" Mary, 2d,	Jan. 31, 1748.
42	" Isaac,	June 16, 1752.
42	" Mary, 1st,	Dec. 26, 1745.
43	" John, April 16, 1707.	
43	" Mary (Burgess), his wife, Sept. 18, 1712.	
43	" Martha, of John and Mary,	Feb. 23, 1731.
43	" Abigail,	Nov. 10, 1732.
43	" Comfort,	Oct. 13, 1734.
43	" Thomas,	April 12, 1736.
43	" Constant,	July 4, 1737.
43	" Mary,	Feb. 1, 1739.
43	" Avis,	Aug. 21, 1740.
43	" Sarah (Huddlestene), his 2d wife, b. —; died Dec. 10, 1747.	
43	" Jonathan, of John and Sarah,	Nov. 29, 1747.
43	" Jerusha (—), his 3d wife, —,	
128	" Peleg, March 20, 1722; died Jan. —, 1796.	
128	" Ruth (Shaw), his wife, Sept. 29, 1723.	
128	" Elizabeth, of Peleg and Ruth,	Oct. 3, 1747.
128	" Remben,	Feb. 20, 1752.
		June 16, 1758.

2-79	WOOD Sarah C., of Gray and Hannah,	April 19, 1803.
2-79	" Mary Ann,	Feb. 24, 1805.
2-79	" Hannah G.,	Oct. 8, 1807.
2-79	" Gray, died Jan. 17, 1808.	Jan. 17, 1808.
2-17	" Royal, of Abner and Phoebe,	Jan. 26, 1779.
2-17	" Ezra,	Sept. 17, 1781.
2-17	" Content,	Jan. 3, 1784.
2-17	" Elizabeth,	April 12, 1787.
2-17	" Ruth,	March 25, 1790.
2-17	" Desire,	Sept. 16, 1792.
2-17	" Mary,	Oct. 16, 1794.
2-17	" Thurston,	Jan. 23, 1797.
2-17	" Lucy,	Aug. 3, 1799.
2-—	" John, of Benjamin and Sarah,	Sept. 17, 1789.
2-—	" William,	Aug. 30, 1782.
2-—	" Paul,	Sept. 22, 1784.
2-25	" William, of Montford and Mary,	Oct. 11, 1788.
2-25	" Mary,	Oct. 22, 1790.
2-25	" Lydia,	May 9, 1793.
2-45	" Holland W., of John and Lydia,	Feb. 24, 1799.
2-102	" Theodore Dwight Weld, of William S. and Dhanra C.,	Aug. 31, 1836.
4-534	" Betsey, died, aged 55y. 6m. 21d., Feb. 24, 1847.	
4-535	" Charles, died, aged 62y. 3m. 10d., April 13, 1850.	
4-536	" Patience, died, aged 70y., Oct. 14, 1850.	
78	WORDEN Nathaniel,	
78	" Margaret (—), his wife,	
78	" Daniel, of Nathaniel and Margaret,	March 22, 1797.

Nothing recorded under letters X Y Z.

- 2-27 RICHMOND John, and Jenne Wavitt (col.), both of Dartmouth; m. by Restcome Sanford, Justice, Jan. 27, 1757.
- 2-39 RICKETSON Huldah, and Jonathan Wilbur, Oct. 29, 1761.
- 5-80 RIVERNIDER Ann Eliza, and Albert C. Leonard, Jan. 13, 1850.
- 2-10 ROBBINS Mary, and Abraham Cook, Feb. 10, 1750-1.
- 2-43 " Maria, and Isaac Crooker, May 2, 1758.
- 2-58 " Pardon, and Susannah Davis; m. by John Bowen, Justice, March 17, 1768.
- 5-67 " Truman P., of New Bedford, son of Benjamin, and Ann Coggeshall Spooner, of New Bedford, dau. of Walter; m. by Rev. S. S. Ashley, March 2, 1850.
- 5-93 ROBINSON Eunice B., and Zachariah French, April 13, 1840.
- 3-112 ROGERS Elizabeth, and Sylvester Richmond, —, 1693.
- 2-1 " Sarah, and Nathaniel Searles, 1694.
- 2-28 " Benjamin, and Judith Devo, both of Dartmouth; m. by Restcome Sanford, Justice, March 27, 1760.
- 2-91 " John, of Southfield, 1. 1. son of William, and Mary Shrieve, of Thomas; m. by Joseph Taber, Justice, April 6, 1777.
- 2-96 " Jeremina Tallman, of Tiverton, and Susannah Borden, of Free-town (also 102); m. by Thomas Durfee, Justice, Oct. 7, 1784.
- 2-83 ROUNDS David, Jr., of David and Hannah, and Hannah King, of Benjamin and Mary; m. by Rev. David Rounds, April 17, 1760.
- 2-68 " John, of David, and Eunice Lake, of Jonathan; m. by Walter Cook, Justice, Feb. 25, 1770.
- 5-5 " Rebecca, and Samuel Stafford, April 8, 1818.
- 5-33 " Phoebe, and Cyrus Hills, Jan. 30, 1840.
- 5-64 " Joseph, Jr., of Joseph, and Baby Manchester, of Jeremiah; m. by Rev. Jared Reed, June 18, 1848.
- 2-180 ROUNSEVELL John, of Tiverton, and Sarah Halloway, of Middleborough, Oct. 2, 1731.
- 2-184 " William, of Tiverton, and Elizabeth Blackmer, of Rochester; (Int.) Feb. 20, 1731-2.
- 2-176 " John, of Tiverton, and Sarah Spooner, of Dartmouth; (Int.) Aug. 17, 1745.
- 2-175 " Mary, and Henry Haskins; (Int.) Nov. 30, 1745.
- 2-173 " Elizabeth, and William Ashley; (Int.) May 31, 1746.
- ✓ 2-111 ROUSE James, and Joanna Fisher, March 15, 1793.
- 3-111 " James, and Margaret Andros, 2d wife, Oct. 25, 1709.
- 3-114 " Elizabeth, and Jephtha Pearce, —, 1740.
- ✓ 3-114 " Mercy, and Giles Pearce, —, 1744.
- 3-114 " Elizabeth, and Jephtha Pearce, Nov. 15, 1749.
- 3-113 " Sarah, and Nathaniel Pearce, —, 1751.
- 5-31 ROYCE Austin, of New Bedford, and Patience W. Barden, of Tiverton; m. by Rev. Isaac Jones, Feb. 7, 1839.
- 2-9 RUSSELL Frances, and Thomas Shrieve, March 27, 1730.
- 2-184 " Mary, and Benjamin Klog; (also 3-102); (Int.) Oct. 19, 1731; m. Oct. 19, 1731.
- 2-12 " James, Jr., of Dartmouth, and Driscilla Gifford, of Tiverton; m. by Philip Taber, Justice, March 27, 1738.
- 2-19 " Constant, and Jeremiah Cook, Dec. 13, 1750.
- 2-37 " Aney, and Peleg Slocum, Oct. 7, 1760.
- 2-40 " Deborah, and Tila Wilcox, Oct. 17, 1760.
- 2-31 " Ellsha, and Elizabeth Tripp, both of Dartmouth; m. by Restcome Sanford, Justice, Aug. 30, 1761.
- 2-49 " Stephen 2d, and Iddia Cornell, of Dartmouth; m. by Restcome Sanford, Justice, Nov. 25, 1764.
- 2-58 " Samuel, of John, dec., and Jane Coggeshall, of John, of Newport; m. by Joseph Stafford, Justice, Nov. 5, 1768.
- 2-59 " John, of Tiverton, and Merabab Harber, of Richmond, R. I.; m. at Richmond by Edward Perry, Justice, March 30, 1769.
- 2-68 " Sarah, and Benjamin Knight, Jr., May 28, 1772.
- 5-62 " Mary, and Clark Brown, Dec. 20, 1847.

- 2-10 WODARD Judiah, and Margaret Terry, of Little Compton; m. by Job Almy, Justice, Sept. 16, 1722.
- 2-185 WODELL Ruth, and John Pearce; (Int.) Nov. 9, 1725.
- 2-186 " Constant, and John Neaguer; (Int.) April 18, 1738.
- 5-83 " Alice, and Charles Albert, June 25, 1340.
- 2-8 " WOODLE Ruth, and John Pearce; (Int.) Nov. 9, 1725.
- 2-181 " Ruth, and Isaac Phinias; (Int.) Oct. 28, 1729.
- 2-140 " Innocent, and Peleg Sheiman; (Int.) Sept. 5, 1730.
- 2-11 " William, and Elizabeth Borden, (also 170, 3-101); (Int.) March 20, 1732; m. by Job Almy, Justice, April 13, 1732.
- 3-109 " Elizabeth, and Nathaniel Tompkins, June 23, 1744.
- 2-31 " William, Jr., and Phebe Fox; m. by Restcome Sanford, Justice, Sept. 3, 1761.
- 2-46 " Innocent, and Samson Sherman, Feb. 10, 1763.
- 2-56 " Patience, and William Briggs, Jan. 3, 1768.
- 2-58 " Susannah, and William Ellsbury, July 6, 1768.
- 2-61 " Gershom, of William, of Tiverton, and Avis Booth, of Dartmouth; m. by John Bowen, Justice, Aug. 24, 1769.
- 2-107 " Sarah, and Jacob Taber, Aug. 4, 1786.
- 2-107 " Elizabeth, and George Gifford, Jan. 22, 1792.
- 2-111 " Richard, of Tiverton, son of Gershom, and Susannah Sowle, of Nathaniel, of Westport, (also 121); m. by Rev. Job Borden, Dec. 20, 1795.
- 5-61 " Dianna Maria, and Pardon Frances, July 2, 1847.
- 3-111 WOODMAN John, and Hannah Howland, Oct. 26, 1697.
- 3-110 " Hannah, and Nicholas Howland, April 16, 1712.
- 3-112 " Edith, and Thomas Church, 3d, Oct. —, 1720.
- 3-114 " Deborah, and George Pearce, Nov. 2, 1735.
- 3-114 " Elizabeth, and William Pearce, Nov. 2, 1735.
- 3-113 " William, and Mary Pearce, March 23, 1749.
- 2-62 " Sarah, and David Taber, Oct. 8, 1769.
- 3-114 " Elizabeth, and Lemuel Sawyer, —, 1777.
- 2-92 " Edward, of Little Compton, son of John and Patience, and Priscilla Negus, of John; m. by Walter Cook, Justice, Oct. —, 1782.
- 2-171 " Hannah, and George White, Feb. 14, 1808.
- 5-1 " Charles, of Little Compton, son of John, and Silana Gray, of Tiverton, dau. of Pardon, Jr., and Sarah; m. by Rev. Benjamin Peckham, June 14, 1812.
- 5-44 " Esther B., and Abner S. Bennett, April 15, 1844.
- 5-55 " Enock, and Mrs. Mary Earl; m. by Rev. J. Kelley, March 10, 1846.
- 5-57 " Mary, and William B. Gray, April 18, 1846.
- 5-59 " Jerusha C., and William Gray, Jr., Oct. 27, 1846.
- 2-10 WOODWARD Jedediah, and Margaret Terry, of Little Compton; m. by Job Almy, Justice, Sept. 16, 1722.
- 2-20 WOOD William, of Warren, R. I., and Sarah Pettey, of Dartmouth; m. by Restcome Sanford, Justice, May 22, 1751.
- 2-48 " Mary, and Thomas Tripp, 2d, March 18, 1764.
- 2-51 " Martha, and Paul Mosher, Oct. 27, 1765.
- 2-62 " Sarah, and Wanton Case, Nov. 24, 1769.
- ✓ 3-113 " Phebe, and James Pearce, —, 1785.
- 2-147 " Sally, and Thomas Shoddard, Dec. 17, 1797.
- 2-130 " Stephen, of Westport, son of George, and Hannah Stafford, of John, of Tiverton; m. by Lemuel Taber, Justice, Jan. 11, 1801.
- 5-24 " Lucy, and John Harrison, Oct. 21, 1832.
- 2-181 WORDEL Ruth, and Isaac Phinias; (Int.) Oct. 28, 1729.
- 2-1 " WRIGHT Jeremiah, and Patience Kirby, both of Dartmouth; m. by Restcome Sanford, Justice, Dec. 29, 1754.

- 76, 105 WOOD Mary, and Thomas Bailey, July 10, 1712.
 82, 166 " Henry, and Content Thurston; m. by Richard Billings, Justice, Sept. 14, 1715.
 47, 168 " Hannah, and Peter Taylor, Nov. 1, 1715.
 108 " Elizabeth, and Thomas Tibbets, Nov. 13, 1717.
 166 " George, and Ann Wilbor; m. by Richard Billings, Justice, Dec. 4, 1717.
 58, 106 " Rebecca, and Anthony Shaw, Aug. 14, 1718.
 81, 107 " Jonathan, and Anna Carr; m. by Richard Billings, Justice, Aug. 14, 1718.
 42, 167 " William, and Hannah Shaw; m. by Richard Billings, Justice, July 10, 1719.
 167 " Hannah, and Jonathan Peck, Jan. 5, 1721.
 167 " Mary, and Jonathan Sason, Feb. 7, 1723.
 65, 169 " Rebecca, and Joseph Simmons; int. Feb. 10; m. March 23, 1726.
 169 " Dorothy, and Joseph Rogers; int. Feb. 20; m. March 16, 1727.
 42, 169 " Joseph, and Mary Brownell; m. by Richard Billings, Justice; int. Aug. 12; m. 31, 1727.
 43, 171 " John, and Mary Burgess; m. by Thomas Church, Justice; int. April 11; m. May 7, 1730.
 61, 171 " Elizabeth, and Joseph Devenport; int. Feb. 13; m. April 1, 1731.
 172 " Hannah, and Jonathan Peck; int. Nov. 6; m. 23, 1731.
 174 " Deliverance, and Henry Cuthbert; int. May 3; m. June 2, 1735.
 121, 173 " Desire, and John Irish; int. March 4; m. April 9, 1732.
 174 " Bridget, and Peter Taylor; int. Nov. 16; m. Dec. 25, 1734.
 180 " Mary, and John Pitman; int. Sept. 10; m. Oct. 10, 1743.
 179 " Mary, and Charles Brownell; int. Feb. 19, 1743.
 180 " John, of Middletown, and Mary Shaw, of Little Compton; m. by Richard Billings, Justice; int. Oct. 13; m. Dec. 4, 1744.
 43, 180 " John, and Sarah Huddleston; m. by Thomas Church, Justice; int. Dec. 25, 1744; m. Feb. 7, 1745.
 181 " Henry, Jr., of Little Compton, and Sarah Potter, of Dartmouth; int. Aug. 17, 1745.
 138, 183 " Peleg, and Ruth Shaw; m. by Richard Billings, Justice; int. Nov. 20; m. Dec. 16, 1746.
 103, 183 " John, and Eunice Shaw; m. by William Hull, Justice, Nov. 27, 1747 or 8.
 43 " John, and Jerusha —, after 1747.
 121, 184 " Abigail, and Charles Irish, Oct. 18, 1750.
 185 " Martha, and Humphrey Taylor, Feb. 10, 1751.
 185 " Job, and Rest Gifford, both of Dartmouth; m. by Joseph Wood, Justice, Jan. 16, 1752.
 103, 186 " George, and Comfort Taylor; m. by Joseph Wood, Justice, Dec. 80, 1753.
 90, 186 " Hannah, and Ebenezer Church, March 7, 1754.
 187 " Sarah, and Nathaniel Church, Nov. 30, 1757.
 104, 187 " Thomas, and Lydia Kirk; m. by Rev. Jonathan Ellis, May 15, 1758.
 188 " Gideon, of Little Compton, and Comfort Manchester, of Dartmouth; m. by Richard Brownell, Justice, Dec. 10, 1758.
 188 " Mary, and Charity Blowers, Jan. 11, 1759.
 188 " Rachel, and Ezekiel Cornell, March 25, 1760.
 116 " Mary, and John Peckham, —, 1760.
 103, 188 " George, and Desire Gray; m. by Rev. Jonathan Ellis, Feb. 10, 1762.
 93, 189 " Elizabeth, and Samuel Wilbor, Nov. 22, 1765.
 189 " Joseph, of Dartmouth, and Mary Taber, of Little Compton; m. by Nathaniel Searl, Justice, Nov. 23, 1766.
 189 " George, of Dartmouth, and Hannah Davenport, of Little Compton; m. by Nathaniel Searl, Justice, April 23, 1767.
 159 " Ichabod, and Elizabeth Brownell, —, 1762.
 161, 197 " Reuben, of Peleg and Ruth, and Abigail Brownell, of Stephen and Edith, dec.; m. by Rev. Jonathan Ellis, Dec. 30, 1773.
 103, 198 " Isaac, of Joseph, dec., and Mary, and Susannah Taylor, of William and Deborah; m. by Rev. Jonathan Ellis, April 21, 1774.

- 140, 199 WOOD Comfort, and Billings Grinnell (also 2-39), March 2, 1775.
 162, 201 " Joseph, of John and Eunice, of Little Compton, and Elizabeth Church, of Col. Thomas, of Bristol, and Elizabeth, dec.; m. by Philip Taylor, Justice, March 7, 1776.
 204 " Mary, and Nathaniel Simons, Dec. 21, 1777.
 206 " Abner, of Peleg and Ruth, and Phoebe Potter, of Stokes and Rebecca; m. by Rev. Jonathan Ellis, May 31, 1778.
 161, 206 " Reuben, of Peleg and Ruth, and Ruth Wilbor, of Charles and Hannah, dec.; m. by Adam Simmons, Justice, Jan. 21, 1779.
 203 " Abigail and Joseph Wilbor, Sept. 26, 1779.
 2- " Benjamin, of John and Eunice, and Sarah Taggart, of William and Mary; m. by Rev. Jonathan Ellis, April 23, 1782.
 2- " Phoebe and James Pearce, July 3, 1783.
 2- " Sarah, and Hezekiah Barker, Nov. 27, 1783.
 2- " Mordcaai, of Constant and Eleanor, and Mary Bailey, of Thomas and Deborah, Dec. 23, 1787.
 2- " Mrs. Lydia and David Seabury, Nov. 7, 1790.
 2- " Mrs. Hannah and Gideon Durfee, Feb. 6, 1791.
 2- " Ruth and Abel Simmons, Aug. 26, 1791.
 2- " Content and Samuel Gray, Dec. 18, 1791.
 151 " Reuben and Hannah Wilbor, after 1792.
 2-36 " George, of George and Desire, and Hannah Hart, of Joseph, dec., and Almy; m. by Rev. Mase Shepherd, Dec. 15, 1799.
 2-56 " Betsey and Isaac Brownell, Sept. 28, 1800.
 2-39 " Content and Hezekiah Irish, Aug. 31, 1803.
 2-42 " Sarah and Walter Grinnell, Oct. 28, 1804.
 2-55 " Borden, of Boston, Mass., son of Borden and Ruth, both dec., and Harriet Gray, of Job and Judith, of Little Compton; m. by Rev. Mase Shepherd, March 1, 1818.
 4-17 " Sarah C. and Nathaniel Church, (also 2-63), Oct. 3, 1825.
 2-96 " William S., of Charles and Hannah, and Manna C. Gray, of Nathaniel and Lydia; m. by Samuel W. Colburn, Justice, Oct. 19, 1835.
 4-42 " Hannah S. and Samuel E. Irish, Dec. 25, 1842.
 130 WORDELL Elizabeth and Nathaniel Tompkins; int. June 23, 1744.
 78 WORDEN and Margaret —, about 1706.

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VITAL RECORD OF RHODE ISLAND.

TIVERTON--INTENTIONS AND MARRIAGES.

VITAL RECORD OF RHODE ISLAND.

8-63 Mary, and Clark Brown, Dec. 20, 1847.
9-73 RYERDEN Mary Ann and Edward Jan. 1, Aug. 1, 1848.

- 2-37 RICHMOND John, and Jenne Wavt (col.), both of Dartmouth; m. by Restcome Sanford, Justice, Jan. 27, 1737.
- 2-39 RICKETSON Huldah, and Jonathan Wilbur, Oct. 29, 1761.
- 5-80 RIVERNIDE Ann Eliza, and Albert C. Leonard, Jan. 13, 1850.
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- 2-43 " Maria, and Isaac Crooker, May 2, 1758.
- 2-58 " Pardon, and Susannah Davids; m. by John Bowen, Justice, March 17, 1768.
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- 5-83 ROBINSON Eunice B., and Zachariah French, April 13, 1840.
- 3-112 ROGERS Elizabeth, and Sylvester Richmond, ———, 1693.
- 2- — " Sarah, and Nathaniel Seares, 1694.
- 2-28 " Benjamin, and Judith Devel, both of Dartmouth; m. by Restcome Sanford, Justice, March 27, 1760.
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- 5-33 " Phebe, and Cyrus Bliss, Jan. 30, 1840.
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- 2-180 ROUNSEVELL John, of Tiverton, and Sarah Halloway, of Middleborough, Oct. 2, 1731.
- 2-184 " William, of Tiverton, and Elizabeth Blackmer, of Rochester; (Int.) Feb. 20, 1731-2.
- 2-175 " John, of Tiverton, and Sarah Spooner, of Dartmouth; (Int.) Aug. 17, 1745.
- 2-175 " Mary, and Henry Haskins; (Int.) Nov. 30, 1745.
- 2-173 " Elizabeth, and William Ashley; (Int.) May 31, 1748.
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- 3-114 " Elizabeth, and Jephtha Pearce, Nov. 15, 1749.
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- 3-110 " Hannah, and Nicholas Howland, Oct. 26, 1697.
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Father's Name George Wood		
Father's Birthplace	Father's Date of Birth	Father's Age
Mother's Maiden Name Desire		
Mother's Birthplace	Mother's Date of Birth	Mother's Age
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State of Rhode Island

Name of Child Pheby Wood		
Sex	Date of Birth March 9, 1763	Local or State File Number
Place of Birth (Name of Hospital or Street Address)		City or Town Little Compton
		Country RHODE ISLAND
Father's Name George Wood		
Father's Birthplace	Father's Date of Birth	Father's Age
Mother's Maiden Name Desire		
Mother's Birthplace	Mother's Date of Birth	Mother's Age
Usual Residence of Mother		Filing Date

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Issuing Office Little Compton, Rhode Island Date of Issuance July 20, 1929

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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
AND
PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

COPY OF RECORD OF MARRIAGE

DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS

RHODE ISLAND STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

FULL NAME OF GROOM James Pearce		STATE OF BIRTH		DATE OF BIRTH	
FATHER OF GROOM Giles Pearce		FATHER'S BIRTHPLACE			
MOTHER OF GROOM (Maiden Name) Mercy		MOTHER'S BIRTHPLACE			
FULL NAME OF BRIDE (Including Maiden Name If Different) Phebe Wood		STATE OF BIRTH		DATE OF BIRTH	
FATHER OF BRIDE George Wood		FATHER'S BIRTHPLACE			
MOTHER OF BRIDE (Maiden Name) Desire		MOTHER'S BIRTHPLACE			
NAME OF OFFICIANT Jonathan Ellis			RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION OR TITLE OF OFFICIANT		
NUMBER OF THIS MARRIAGE		IF PREVIOUSLY MARRIED How Last Marriage Ended		Date Last Marriage Ended	
Groom	Bride	Groom	Bride	Groom	Bride
PLACE OF MARRIAGE Little Compton RHODE ISLAND				DATE OF MARRIAGE July 3, 1783	
CERTIFICATE NUMBER OR BOOK AND PAGE NUMBER Book 2, Page 12			FILING DATE		

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Inventory brought over

"	to 1 Note against Timothy Shaw dated Oct ^r 1819	12. 70
"	D ^o against Levi Shearman dated Dec ^r 26 1815	10-00
"	D ^o against John Potter dated Jan ^y 1. 1820	28-00
"	D ^o against Charles Potter dated Jan ^y 27 th 1816	54-00
"	D ^o against D ^o dated June 3 rd 1817	80-00
"	to 1 pocket book & box & 1 Table Cloth	00 65
"	to 1 Old Craft	01-50
"	to 1 pleasure Slay	05-00
"	to 1 Ox Cart & 1 Ox Chain	6 50
"	to 1 Plough & 2 old barrels & Cyder	4 25
"	to 2 Buries & tools for making sleighs	1 50
"	to 1 Cow & 14 & the half of a pair of oxen	32.46-00
"	to the half of an old Mare & Colt	10-00
"	to 6 Sheep & 6 Lambs	10-00
"	to a stack of English Hay subject to a deduction of 16 ¹ / ₂ hundred weight	11-00
"	to Cash on hand	8. 36
		443-25 ¹ / ₂

Be it remembered that I George Wood of Little Compton in the County of Newport & State of Rhode Island &c. Being in health of Body And of sound disposing mind & perfect memory for which favour I give to bless & praise Almighty God. And calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men to die Do make & ordain this my last Will & Testament in the manner & form following I commend my soul to God who gave it hoping to receive a full pardon for all my sins & to inherit eternal life. And my body I commend

Capt Geo. Wood Will

To the earth to have a decent Christian burial, at the Discretion of my executor herein after Named. And as touching such worldly Testment & estate as it hath pleased Altho. I G.W.W. God to bless me with in this Life I give & dispose of the same in the manner & form as follows.

First I give & bequeath unto my beloved wife Dejeu Wood all my household furniture of every kind whatsoever which may be properly denominated household furniture immediately after my decease all which is to be at her disposal in any manner she shall think fit & proper & to be delivered her by my executor immediately after my decease.

2^dly I give & bequeath unto my beloved Daughters the following sums of money to be paid to them by my executor in the following manner that is to say To Comfort Grinnell Four Dollars To Phoebe Pease Four Dollars To Sarah Parker Four Dollars & Hannah Purpe Four Dollars & to Lydia Scabury Twenty Dollars & to the Children of my Daughter Ruth Simmons (decd.) Seven Dollars which sums as aforesaid are to be paid to my said Daughters by my executor which said gifts together with what I have given each of my Daughters hitherto is to be considered as their lot & portions out of my estate which said several legacies or sums of money I will & order shall be paid to my said Daughters by my Executor in or near after my Decease.

3^dly I give & bequeath unto my four grand Children Daughters of my son Gray Wood decd. Three Dollars to each of them to be paid to them when we arrive to the age of Eighteen years & to be paid them by my son John Wood his Executor or administrators.

4thly I give to my ^{beloved} son John Wood his heirs & assigns forever all my real estate & all my personal Estate not otherwise given away in this my Will of every Nature & kind whatsoever & whosoever the same may be found, he paying all the legacies given away in this my Will together with all my just debts & Funeral charges. My Will & meaning further is that my son John Wood Provide for my wife Dejeu Wood a comfortable living out of my Estate.

so long as she remains my Widow.
 I hereby appoint my son John Wood to be my Executor
 of this my last will & Testament desiring him to see
 the same carefully fulfilled according to the true intent
 and meaning hereof. And I do hereby revoke disannul
 and make void all other & former Wills & Testaments by
 me heretofore made Ratifying & confirming this & no
 other to be my last will & Testament.
 In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
 and seal this Thirtieth Day of Decr one Thousand
 eight Hundred and fifteen
 Signed, Sealed, published, pronounced

And declared, by the said George Wood as & for
 his last Will & Testament in the presence
 of us, who at the same time at his
 request, in his presence, & in the presence
 of each other have hereunto set our names
 as witnesses to the same.

Ezra Coe }
 Henry Wilbur }
 Humphrey Allen }

George Wood

At the Court of Probate holden within & for the
 Town of Little Compton in the County of Newport
 on the 10th Day of July 1820.

Whereas a certain Instrument purporting to be
 the last will & Testament of George Wood late of Little
 Compton in the County of Newport was presented to this Court for Probate
 And Ezra Coe & Humphrey Allen two of the sub-
 scribers witnesses to the said Instrument, being sworn
 declared on oath that they in the presence of the said
 George Wood & in the presence of each other, said & heard
 him the said Geo. Wood, sign, seal, publish, pronounce
 & declare the said Instrument to be his last Will &
 Testament & that the said Geo. Wood at the time of
 executing & publishing the said Instrument as aforesaid
 appeared to the said Witnesses to be of sane mind

Will of George Wood

original photostats from

Town of Little Compton

rec'd July 1889

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Inventory brought over

to 1 Note against Timothy Shaw dated Oct^r 1819

120 75

D^o against Levi Shearman dated Dec^r

26 1815

10 00

D^o against John Potter dated Jan^y 1. 1820

28 00

D^o against Schaboe Potter dated Jan^y 27th 1816

54 00

D^o against D^o dated June 3rd 1817

80 00

to 1 pocket book & box & 1 Table Cloth

00 65

to 1 Old Coaft

01 50

to 1 pleasure Hay

05 00

to 1 Ox Cart & 1 Ox Chain

6 50

to 1 Plough & 2 old barrels & Cyder

4 25

to 2 Benches & Tools for making slighs

1 50

to 1 Cow & 14 & the half of a pair of oxen & 3246 00

to the half of an old Mill & Cote

10 00

to 6 Sheep & 6 Lambs

10 00

to a Stack of English Hay subject to a deduction of 15th hundred weight

to Cash on hand

8 36

443 25th

Be it remembered that at George Wood of Little Compton in the County of Newport & State of Rhode Island &c. Being in health of Body And of sound disposing mind & perfect memory for what follows I desire to bless & praise Almighty God And calling to mind the mortality of my Body and knowing that it is appointed for all men to die Do make & ordain this my last Will & Testament in the manner & for the following I commend my Soul to God who gave it hoping to receive a full pardon for all my sins & to inherit eternal life And my Body I commend

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Capt Geo Wood Will

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Inventory brought over

to 1 Note against Timothy Shaw dated Oct^r 15th 1819 120 70

D^o against Levi Shearman dated Dec^r 26 1815 10 00

D^o against John Potter dated Jan^y 1st 1820 28 00

D^o against Ephraim Potter dated Jan^y 27th 1814 54 00

D^o against D^o dated June 3rd 1817 80 00

to 1 pocket book & box & 1 Table Cloth 20 65

to 1 Old Coft 01 50

to 1 pheasant Stag 05 00

to 1 Ox Cart & Ox Chain 6 50

to 1 Plough & 2 old barrels & Cyder 4 25

to 2 Barrels & tools for making slugs 1 50

to 1 Cow & 14 & the half of a pair of oxen & 32 46 00

to the half of an old Mare & Colt 10 00

to 6 Sheep & 6 Lambs 10 00

to a stack of English Hay subject to a deduction of 16 hundred weight 11 00

to Cash on hand 8 36

443 25

Be it remembered that all George Wood of Little Compton in the County of Newport & State of Rhode Island &c. Being in health of Body and of sound disposing mind & perfect memory for which favours I desire to bless & praise Almighty God. And calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men to die I ordain this my last Will & Testament in the manner forth following I commend my soule to God who gave it hoping to receive a full pardon for all my sins & to inherit eternal life And my body I commend

John Will
Capt Gen

the earth to have a decent Christian burial, at the
 discretion of my executor herein after named. And as truly
 my much loved & beloved & whole as it hath pleased Altho
 God to bless me with in this life I gave & disp
 of the same in the manner & form as follows.

I give & bequeath unto my beloved wife Debra Wood all my
 household furniture of every kind whatsoever which may be
 properly denominated household furniture immediately
 after my decease all which is to be at her disposal in any
 manner she shall think fit & for good & to be delivered to
 by my executor immediately after my decease.

I give & bequeath unto my beloved Daughters the follow
 ing sums of money to be paid to them by my executor
 in the following manner, that is to say, To comfort
 Griswoll Ten Dollars To Phoebe Paine Four Dollars To
 Sarah Packer Four Dollars & Hannah Pierce Four Dollars
 & to Lydia Leabury Twenty Dollars & to the children
 of my Daughter Ruth Sumner six & seven Dollars
 which sums of money are to be paid to my said Daugh
 ters by my executor which said gifts together with
 all that I have given each of my Daughters heretofore is to be
 considered as their lot & portion out of my estate or lands
 and several legacies or sums of money I will & order what
 be paid to my said Daughters by my executor in one
 year after my decease.

I give & bequeath unto my four grand Children each
 ten of my son Gray Wood at Three Dollars to each of them
 to be paid to them when we arrive to the age of Eighteen
 years & to be paid them by my son John Wood his executor
 or administrator.

I give to my son John Wood his heirs & assigns forever all
 my real estate & all my personal estate not otherwise
 given away in this Will of every Nature & kind whatsoever
 & whenever the same may be found, he paying all the
 legacies given away in this & my Will together with all
 my just debts & funeral charges.

In witness whereof I have signed this my last Will
 at my house in the town of Danvers New Hampshire
 the 10th day of June 1840.

Inventory brought over		
to 1 Note against Timothy Shaw dated Oct 15 1819		170-00
to Do against Levi Shearman dated Dec 26 1815		10-00
to Do against John Potter dated Jan 1 1820		28-00
to Do against Mahad Potter dated Jan 27 1816		54-00
to Do against Do dated June 5 1817		80-00
to 1 packet bank Gen J. S. S. S. S. S.		10-65
to 1 old coat		14-50
to 1 pleasuring May		05-00
to 1 Dr. Cash for Dr. Chas.		6-50
to 1 Plough & 2 old barrels & 1 log		4-25
to 2 Bunches of tools for making stumps		1-30
to 1 Cow & 14 & the half of a pair of oxen		32-66
to the half of an old mare & 1 colt		10-00
to 6 Sheep & 6 Swine		10-00
to a stack of English Hay (subject to a deduction 1)		15-00
to 15 hundred weight of		15-00
to Cash on hand		84-36
		443-25

Best and dear friend that is George Wood of
Little Compton in the County of Newport &
State of Rhode Island &c. Being in health & of
good & sound disposing mind & perfect memory
for which favour I give to thee & praise Alms
God's Good calling to record the voluntatity of
my and hereover that it is appoynted for all
men to die & make God and this my last
Will & Testament in the manner & forth following
I becomend my soule to God who gave it hoping
to receive a full pardon for all my sins & to
enjoy eternall life. And my body I comend

I will wish to have a decent Christian burial, at the
 discretion of my executor hereon after named. And as touch-
 ing such worldly riches & estate as it hath pleased Albion
Wells God to bless me with in this life I give & bequeath
 the same in the manner & form as follows -
 I give & bequeath unto my beloved wife Debra Wood all my
 household furniture of every kind whatsoever which may be
 properly denominated household furniture immediately
 after my decease all which is to be at her disposal in an
 manner she shall think fit & proper & to be delivered up
 by my executor immediately after my decease.

I give & bequeath unto my beloved Daughters the follow-
 ing sums of money to be paid to them by my executor
 in the following manner, that is to say, to Comfort
Greenwell Four Dollars to Phoebe Pearce Four Dollars to
Sarah Bacher Four Dollars & Hannah Purser Four Dollars
 & to Lydia Seabury Twenty Dollars & to the children
 of my Daughter Ruth Seabury ten & seven Dollars
 which sums of money are to be paid to my said Daugh-
ters by my executor or such and gifts together with
 what I have given each of my Daughters heretofore is to be
 considered as their lot & portion out of my estate in such
 and several legacies or sums of money I will & now shall
 be paid to my Daughters by my executor in one
 year after my Decease.

I give & bequeath unto my four grand Children Debra
Wood of Windsor Oray Wood & Three Dollars to each of them
 to be paid to them when we arrive to the age of Eighteen
 years & to be paid them by my son John Wood his Executor
 or administrator.

I give to my son John Wood his heirs & assigns forever all
 my real estate & all my personal Estate not otherwise
 given away in this Will of every nature & kind whatsoever
 whenever the same may be found hereupon all the
 legacies given away in this my Will together with all
 my just debts & funeral charges - My Will

Leaving further to that my son John Wood provide for my
 wife Debra Wood a comfortable living out of my Estate

as long as she survives my Widow
 Little I hereby appoint my son John Wood to be my Executor
 of this my last will & Testament desiring him to see
 the same carefully fulfilled according to the true intent
 and meaning hereof And I do hereby revoke disannul
 and make void all other & former Will & Testaments by
 me heretofore made Ratifying & confirming this & no
 other to be my last will & Testament

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
 and seal this thirtieth Day of Decr 1722

Signed Sealed published pronounced

And declared by the said George Wood as & for
 his last Will Testament in the presence
 of us who at the same time at his
 request in his presence & in the presence
 of each other have hereunto set our names
 as witnesses to the same

Elizabeth Cox
 Henry Wilcox
 Humphrey Allway

George Wood



At the Court of Probate holden in the Office the
 Hon^{ble} of Little Compton in the County of Newport
 on the 12th Day of July 1722

Whereas a certain Instrument or paper purporting to be
 the last will & Testament of George Wood late of Little
 Compton in the County of Newport deceased was presented to the Court for probate
 And Ezra Cox & Humphrey Allway two of the next
 of kin being witnesses to the said Instrument being duly
 examined on oath that they on the Oath of the said
 George Wood knew the presence of each other said & knew
 him the said Geo. Wood sign seal publish pronounce
 & declare the said Instrument to be his last Will &
 Testament & that the said Geo. Wood at the time of
 signing & publishing the said Instrument was of sound

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Inventory brought over	
to 1 cask against Timothy Shaw date Oct 8 th 1819	17-70
" D ^o against Levi Shearman date Dec 26 1815	10-00
" D ^o against Peter Potter date Jan 1 1820	22-00
" D ^o against Charles Potter date Jan 27 1816	54-00
" D ^o against D ^o date June 5 1817	80-00
" to 1 pocket book & 1 table cloth	50-65
" to 1 old coat	04-50
" to 1 pleasure Hay	05-00
" to 1 Ex cart for Dr Cham	6-50
" to 1 Plough & 2 old barrels & 1 log	4-25
" to 12 Ropes & tools for making slings	1-50
" to 1 cow & 14 & the half of a pair of oxen & 32 lb	12
" to the half of an old mill & 1 cask	10-00
" to 5 sheep & 6 lambs	10-00
" to a stock of English Hay subject to a deduction of 160 hundred weight	
" to Cash on hand	8-36
	443-25

Left by Will

Be it remembered that the George Wood of
 Little Compton in the County of Newport &
 State of Rhode Island &c being in health of Body
 and of sound disposing mind & perfect memory
 for which favour I desire to bless & praise Alms
 God & calling to mind the mortality of
 my and knowing that it is appointed for all
 men to die do make & ordain that my last
 Will & Testament in the manner & forth following
 I command my Soul to God who gave it hope
 to receive a full pardon for all my sins & to
 submit myself to His will & to my body I commit

In the earth to have a decent Christian burial at the
 discretion of my executor hereon after named. And as touching
 my such worldly substance I bequeath as its better pleased shall
 the God to bless me with in this life & again & prosper
 the same in the hereafter & for as follows
 I give & bequeath unto my beloved wife Debra Wood all my
 household furniture of every kind whatsoever which may be
 properly denominated household furniture and immediately
 after my decease whatsoever is to be at her disposal in any
 manner she shall think fit & proper to be delivered to
 by my executor immediately after my decease.

I give & bequeath unto my beloved Daughters the follow-
 ing sums of money to be paid to them by my executor
 on the following occasions that is to say To comfort
 General four Dollars To Phoebe Pearce four Dollars
 Sarah Parker four Dollars & Hannah Purdie four Dollars
 & to Lydia Seabury twenty Dollars & to the children
 of my Daughter Ruth seven or ten dollars
 which sums of money are to be paid to my said Daugh-
 ters by my executor which said gifts together with
 what I have given each of my Daughters heretofore is to be
 considered as their lot & portion out of my estate or lands
 and several legacies or sums of money I will & now shall
 be paid to my said Daughters by my executor in one
 year after my Decease.

I give & bequeath unto my four grand Children each
 two of my dear Gray Wood at three Dollars to each of them
 to be paid to them when we arrive to the age of eighteen
 years & to be paid them by my son John Wood his executor
 or administrator.

I give to my son ^{beloved} John Wood his heirs & assigns forever all
 my real estate & all my personal estate not otherwise
 given away in this Will of every Nature & kind whatsoever
 & whosoever the same may be found hereafter all the
 legacies given above in this my Will together with all
 my just debts & funeral charges.

In witness whereof I have signed this my last will & provide for my
 wife Debra Wood a comfortable living out of my Estate.

as long as she remains my Widow
 I hereby appoint my son John Wood to be my Executor
 of this my last will & Testament desiring him to see
 the same carefully fulfilled according to the true intent
 and meaning hereof And I do hereby revoke disannul
 and make void all other & former Wills Testaments by
 me heretofore made Ratifying & confirming this & my
 other to be my last will & Testament

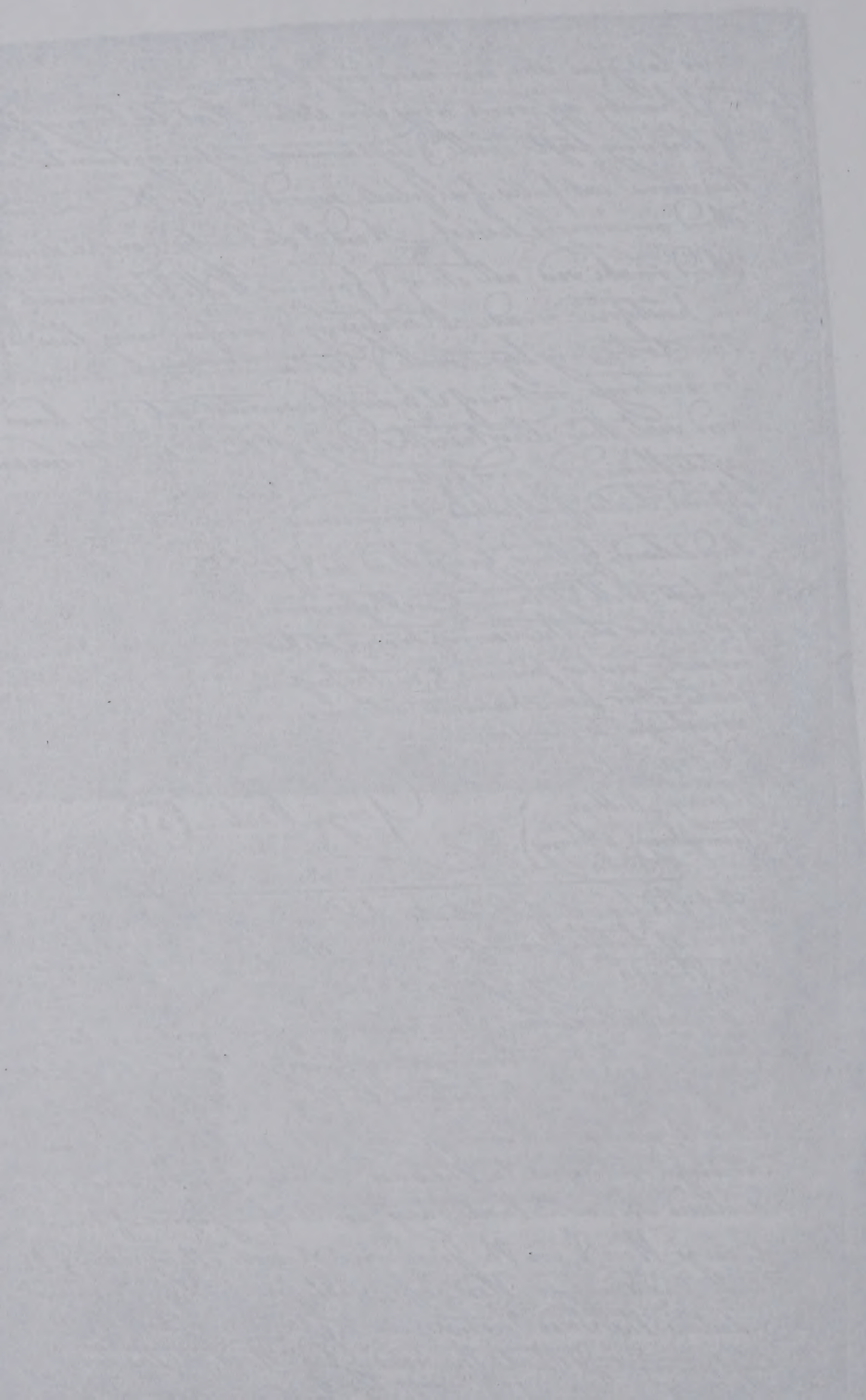
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
 and seal this Twentieth Day of June one thousand
 eight hundred and fifteen

Signed sealed published pronounced
 and declared by the said George Wood as & for
 his last Will & Testament in the presence
 of us who at the same time at his
 request in his presence & in the presence
 of each other have hereunto set our names
 as witnesses to the same

Ezra Cook }
 Henry Miller } George Wood
 Humphrey Henry }

At the Court of Probate holden within & for the
 Town of Little Compton in the County of Newport
 on the 10th Day of July 1820

Whereas a certain Instrument or paper purporting to be
 the last will & Testament of George Wood late of Little
 Compton in the County of Newport was produced to this Court for probate
 And Ezra Cook & Humphrey Henry at the time of the said
 reading witnessed to the said Instrument being duly
 declared on oath that they on the promise of the said
 George Wood & on the promise of each other saw & heard
 the said Geo. Wood sign seal publish pronounce
 & declare the said Instrument to be his last Will &
 Testament & that the said Geo. Wood at the time of
 signing & publishing the said Instrument was of sound
 mind & memory



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Inventory brought over		
to 1 Note against Timothy Chan dated Oct ^r 17 th 1819		121 70
D ^o against Levi Shearman dated Dec ^r 26 1815		10 00
D ^o against John Potter dated Jan ^y 1. 1820		28 00
D ^o against Nicholas Potter dated Jan ^y 27 th 1814		54 00
D ^o against D ^o dated June 3 rd 1817		80 00
to 1 pocket book & box & 1 table cloth		50 65
to 1 old coat		01 50
to 1 phrasum Hay		005 00
to 1 Ox Cart & Ox Chain		6 50
to 1 Plough & 2 old barrels & Ceyder		4 25
to 2 Bunches & tools for making slights		1 50
to 1 Cow & 14 & the half of a pair of oxen & 32 46		00
to the half of an old mare & Cote		10
to 5 Sheep & 6 Lambs		10
to a Stack of English Hay subject to a deduction 11		
of 16 th hundred weight		
to Cash on hand		8 36
		443 25

Be it remembered that I George Wood of
 Little Compton in the County of Newport &
 State of Rhode Island &c. being in health of Body
 and of sound disposing mind & perfect memory
 for which favour I desire to bless & praise Almighty
 God. And calling to mind the vanity of my
 life and knowing that it is appointed for all
 men to die I make God mine this my last
 Will & Testament in the manner & forth following
 I commend my soule to God who gave it hoping
 to receive a full pardon for all my sins & to
 inherit eternal life. And my body I commend

In New earth to have a second shrouded burial, at the
 discretion of my executor herein after named. And as touching
 my such worldly substance & estate as it hath pleased the
 Almighty God to bless me with in this life I give & bequeath
 the same in the manner & form as follows.

I give & bequeath unto my beloved wife Dejah Wood all my
 household furniture of every kind whatsoever which may be
 properly denominated household furniture immediately
 after my decease all which is to be at her disposal in any
 manner she shall think fit & proper & to be delivered up
 by my executor immediately after my decease.

I give & bequeath unto my beloved Daughters the follow-
 ing sums of money to be paid to them by my executor
 in the following manner, that is to say, To Comfort
 General four Dollars To Phoebe Pearce five Dollars To
 Sarah Parker four Dollars & Hannah Purdie four Dollars
 & to Lydia Seabury twenty Dollars & to the children
 of my Daughter Ruth Sumner viz. seven Dollars
 which sums of money are to be paid to my said Daughters
 by my executor with such and gifts together with
 what I have given each of my Daughters heretofore is to be
 considered as their lot & portions out of my estate or lands
 and several legacies or sums of money I will & now shall
 bequeath to my said Daughters by my executor in one
 year after my decease.

I give & bequeath unto my four grand Children Daughters
 viz. of my son Gray Wood viz. three Dollars to each of them
 to be paid to them when we arrive to the age of Eighteen
 years & to be paid them by my son John Wood his executor
 or administrator.

I give to my son John Wood his heirs & assigns forever all
 my real estate & all my personal estate not otherwise
 given away in this Will of every Nature & kind whatsoever
 & whenever the same may be found he paying all the
 Legacies given away in this my Will together with all
 my just debts & several charges. My Will is
 bearing further in that my son John Wood Provide for my
 wife Dejah Wood a comfortable living out of my Estate.

as long as she remains my Widow
 I hereby appoint my son John Wood to be my Executor
 of this my last will & Testament desiring him to see
 the same carefully fulfilled according to the true intent
 and meaning hereof And I do hereby revoke disannul
 and make void all other & former Wills & Testaments by
 me heretofore made Ratifying & confirming this & my
 other to be my last will & Testament
 In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
 and seal this Thirtieth Day of Decr 1820
 eight Hundred and Twentieth
 Signed Sealed published pronounced
 And declared by the said George Wood as & for
 his last Will Testament in the presence
 of us who at the same time at his
 request in his presence & in the presence
 of each other have hereunto set our names
 as witnesses to the same
 Extra Copies of
 Henry Wilbur } George Wood
 Humphrey Allen }

At the Court of Probate holden in the Office of the
 Town of Little Compton in the County of Newport
 on the 12th Day of July 1820
 It was shewn In testimony purporting to be
 the last will & Testament of George Wood late of Little
 Compton was presented to the Court for probate
 And Ezra Lee & Humphrey Allen being two of the most
 credible witnesses to the said Instrument being duly
 declared on oath that they on the Oath of the said
 George Wood & in the presence of each other saw & heard
 him the said Geo. Wood sign seal publish pronounce
 & declare the said Instrument to be his last Will &
 Testament & that the said Geo. Wood at the time of
 signing & publishing the said Instrument was of sound

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Inventory brought over

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D^o against Levi Shearman dated Dec^r 26 1815 10. 00

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D^o against D^o dated June 3 1817 80. 00

to 1 pocket book & box & 1 Table Cloth 80. 65

to 1 Old Coaft 01. 50

to 1 pleasure Slay 05. 00

to 1 Ox Cart & Ox Chain 6. 50

to 1 Plough & 2 old barrels & Cyder 4. 25

to 2 Bunches & tools for making slighs 1. 50

to 1 Cow & 14 & the half of a pair of oxen & 32. 46. 00

to the half of an old Mare & Colt 10. 00

to 6 Sheep & 6 Lambs 10. 00

to a stack of English Hay subject to a deduction of 16th hundred weight

to Cash on hand 8. 36

443. 25

Be it remembered that I George Wood of Little Compton in the County of Newport & State of Rhode Island &c. being in health of Body and of sound disposing mind & perfect memory for which favour I desire to keep & praise Almighty God. And calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men to die Do make & ordain this my last Will & Testament in the manner & form following I Commend my soule to God who gave it hoping to receive a full pardon for all my sins & to inherit eternal life. And my body I commend

In the earth to have a decent Christian burial, at the
Discretion of my executor herein after named. And as touch-
ing such worldly Contentment I estate as it hath pleased All-
Wise God to bless me with in this Life I give & dispose
of the same in the & manner & form as follows.

First I give & bequeath unto my beloved wife Dejah Wad all my
household furniture of every kind whatsoever which may be
properly denominated household furniture immediately
after my decease all which will be at her disposal in any
manner she shall think fit & proper & to be delivered her
by my executor immediately after my decease.

2^{ly} I give & bequeath unto my beloved Daughters the follow-
ing sums of money to be paid to them by my executor
in the following manner that is to say To Comfort
Greenish Four Dollars To Phoebe Pearce Four Dollars To
Sarah Parker Four Dollars & Hannah Pierce Four Dollars
& to Lydia Leaburn Twenty Dollars & to the Spaldson
of my Daughter Ruth Greenish seven Dollars
which sums as aforesaid are to be paid to my said Daugh-
ters by my executor which said gifts together with
what I have given each of my Daughters heretofore is to be
considered as their lot & portion out of my estate which
said several legacies or sums of money I will & order shall
be paid to my said Daughters by my Executor in one
year after my Decease.

3^{ly} I give & bequeath unto my four grand Children Daugh-
ters of my son Gray Wad at Three Dollars to each of them
to be paid to them when we arrive to the age of Eighteen
years & to be paid them by my son John Wad his Executor
or administrator.

4th I give to my ^{beloved} son John Wad his heirs & assigns forever all
my real estate & all my personal Estate not otherwise
given away in this Will of every Nature & kind whatsoever
& whenever this same may be found he paying at the
legacies given away in this my Will together with all
my just debts & Funeral charges. My Will
meaning further is that my son John Wad Provide for my
wife Dejah Wad a comfortable living out of my Estate.

so long as she remains my Widow.
I hereby appoint my son John Wood to be my Executor
of this my last will & Testament desiring him to see
the same carefully fulfilled according to the true intent
and meaning hereof. And I do hereby revoke disannul
and make void all other & former Wills & Testaments by
me heretofore made Ratifying & confirming this & no
other to be my last will & Testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and seal this Thirtieth Day of June one Thousand
eight Hundred and fifteen
Signed, Sealed, published, pronounced

And declared by the said George Wood as & for
his last Will & Testament in the presence
of us, who at the same time at his
request, in his presence, & in the presence
of each other have hereunto set our names
as witnesses to the same.

Esra Coe
Henry Wilbur
Thompson Atty

George Wood

At the Court of Probate holden within & for the
County of Little Compton in the County of Newport
on the 10th Day of July 1820.

Whereas a certain Instrument purporting to be
the last will & Testament of George Wood late of Little
Compton in the County of Newport was presented to this Court for probate
And Esra Coe & Thompson Atty being two of the sub-
scribing witnesses to the said Instrument, being sworn
declared on oath that they in the presence of the said
George Wood & in the presence of each other saw & heard
him the said Geo. Wood sign seal publish pronounce
& declare the said Instrument to be his last Will &
Testament, & that the said Geo. Wood at the time of
executing & publishing the said Instrument as afore-

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12 8 Wood

(Father of No. 4.
Cont. on chart No. _____)

b. Date of Birth
p.b. Place of Birth
m. Date of Marriage
p.m. Place of Marriage
d. Date of Death
p.d. Place of Death

4 John Wood Newport RI
 b. ca 1595 (Father of No. 2)
 p.b. London? England
 m. ① ca 1617
 p.m. England
 d. beg. 17 Mar 1696
 p.d. Portsmouth RI

b. (Father of No. 4.
Cont. on chart No. _____)

p. b.
m.
p. m.
d.
p. d.

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b.	(Mother of No. 4. Cont. on chart No.

(10)
 10082 John Wood
 b. 1620 (Father of No. 1)
 p.b. Eng
 * m. (3) before 1664
 p.m. Newport on Portsmouth
 d. 1704
 p.d. Newport

10	<i>? Carter</i>
b.	(Father of No. 5. Cont. on chart No.

2011 5 Margaret Carter
b. (Mother of No. 2)
p.b.
d.
p.d.

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b. (Mother of No. 5.
Cont. on chart No. _____)

9
354 1 (Lt) John Wood
b. ca 1664
p.b. Deantmoth? Newgate?
m. 1688
p.m. Little Copton R1
d. 22 Feb 1740
p.d. Little Copton R1

12	<i>Reddy</i>	(Father of No. 6. Cont. on chart No. _____)
b.		

Q 16 John Peabody Newport
(Father of No. 3)

b. 1612
p.b. ? St Albans, Herts, Eng
m. ① 1638
p.m. Newport RI
d. bef. 22 June 1687 (will proved)
p.d. Newport RI

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b.	(Mother of No. 6. Cont. on chart No. _____)

1009 3 Mary Peabody
b. in 1640? (Mother of No. 1)
p.b.
d.
p.d.

14	Thomas Tally	
b.	ca 1600?	(Father of No. 7. Cont. on chart No. _____)

(2019) | 7 Dorothy Talley / Tooley
b. ca 16 20? (Mother of No. 3)
p.b.
d.
p.d.
of No. 1.

p.m.
d. *ca 1683*
p.d. *Newport RI*

(505) Mary Church
Spouse of No. 1.
b. 26 Mar 1667
p.b. Hingham MA
d. 11 Nov 1748
p.d. Little Compton RI

15	Rebecca	(Mother of No. 7. Cont. on chart No. _____)
b.		

p.b. 16894
d.
p.d. Newport RI

